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I am indebted to all members of the Staff for keen co-operation in the task of making this statistical account of Tasmania, year by year, an accurate record of the facts.

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For estimate of mean population of Municipalities in 1927, see page 17.

Reference may be made to the Commonwealth Annual Bulletin of Demography for fuller information for Tasmania in respect to:—

Ages, birthplaces, and occupations of parents of children born.
Birthplaces and occupations of persons dying.
Ages, birthplaces, occupations, and conjugal condition of persons marrying.

Also for detailed information for the Commonwealth as a whole, but not for Tasmania separately, in respect to:—

Mother's age, showing duration of marriage and previous issue.
Interval between marriage and first birth.
Causes of death classified according to occupations.
Duration of marriage, total issue, and average family for persons dying.

THE MEASUREMENT OF POPULATION.

The population of Australia is counted systematically every 10 years. The last census was made on the 4th April, 1921. The principle now accepted is to make it as near as possible to 1st April, provided that it is not made at a week-end or during Easter holidays.

At the census, the numbering is carried down to the smallest divisions, and full information as to age, occupation, nationality, &c., is collected. Between censuses the only official counting is for whole States, and information as to age, &c., is very incomplete. The estimate is made by keeping count of the births and deaths in each State, and of the arrivals and departures to and from each State. These estimates are made by the Commonwealth Statistician for the last day of every quarter.

There are, no doubt, errors in the census, but they may be taken as negligible. This is not the case with the inter-censal estimates. The counting of births and deaths is very accurate, but it has been found impossible to get a perfectly exact record of migration. Movement across land frontiers of States presents obvious difficulties in counting, but experience has shown that the estimates of Tasmanian population are even more liable to error than in the case of mainland States. There is, in general, a considerable number of unrecorded departures, so that any State which is losing population by migration tends to have its population overestimated.

When a census is made, the error in the previous estimates is shown. For the next inter-censal period it is assumed that the previous error is going on, and a correction is made to the quarterly estimate by making an allowance, where necessary, for unrecorded departures based on the experience of the preceding inter-censal period. For Tasmania this amounts to an addition quarterly of 65 males and 25 females to the recorded interstate departures, and of 1 per cent. to male recorded departures oversea, and 4½ per cent. to the female recorded departures oversea.

From the persistent efforts made to obtain greater accuracy in migration records, it might be expected that this allowance would be more than would be required at present. On the other hand, the unprecedented drain on Tasmanian population during the last five years might be expected to require a still larger allowance. On the whole it is probable that the official estimates are very close to the actual facts, with a slight presumption that the population of Tasmania is being, to a very small degree, overestimated.

For any division smaller than States it is impossible to give any trustworthy estimate between censuses. Where growth has been, on a general impression, steady since 1911, a fair estimate may be made, based on past experience, and the last quarterly estimate for the whole State. But war broke all continuity in the last decade, and the recent abnormal migration from Tasmania makes any such calculation worthless for any town, municipality, or other division of this State. Under these circumstances, the best source of information is the electoral roll, and the number of electors enrolled, combined with the quarterly estimates for the State, forms a fair basis for rough estimates of inter-censal populations of parts of this State. This is the basis of all such estimates printed in the following pages.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY for TASMANIA, from 1836 to 1927 inclusive.

YEAR.	Population at End of Year.			Net Migration.		Births.		Deaths.		Natural Increase.		Total Increase	
	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
1836-40...	45,999	32,040	13,959	1044*		688*		567*		121*		1165*	
1841-45...	64,291	43,921	20,370	2202*	944*	632*	616*	458*	278*	174*	338*	2376*	1282*
1846-50...	68,870	44,229	24,641	— 300*	407*	891*	817*	529*	370*	362*	447*	62*	854*
1851-55...	69,962	38,680	31,282	—1391*	853*	1235*	1161*	953*	685*	282*	476*	—1109*	1329*
1856-60...	89,821	49,653	40,168	1482*	820*	1619*	1546*	906*	589*	713*	957*	2195*	1777*
1861-65...	93,967	50,549	43,418	— 599*	— 272*	1601*	1490*	823*	568*	778*	922*	179*	650*
1866	95,889	51,572	44,317	383	62	1432	1373	792	536	640	837	1023	899
1867	96,743	51,943	44,800	— 270	— 429	1505	1466	864	554	641	912	371	483
1868	98,738	52,792	45,946	205	262	1528	1462	884	578	644	884	849	1146
1869	99,190	52,835	46,355	— 571	— 501	1445	1414	831	504	614	910	43	409
1870	100,886	53,517	47,369	— 60	106	1615	1439	873	531	742	908	682	1014
1871	101,900	53,963	47,937	— 334	— 350	1585	1468	805	550	780	918	446	568
1872	103,034	54,469	48,565	— 188	— 280	1527	1486	833	578	694	908	506	628
1873	104,311	55,410	48,901	334	— 593	1512	1536	905	607	607	929	941	336
1874	104,261	55,182	49,079	— 806	— 651	1601	1496	1023	667	578	829	— 228	178
1875	103,739	54,678	49,061	— 922	— 626	1623	1482	1205	874	418	608	— 504	— 18
1876	105,549	55,664	49,885	351	43	1660	1489	1025	708	635	781	986	824
1877	107,159	56,545	50,614	451	— 12	1645	1566	1215	825	430	741	881	729
1878	109,993	58,056	51,937	706	327	1798	1704	993	708	805	996	1511	1323
1879	112,506	59,466	53,040	634	3	1774	1790	998	690	776	1100	1410	1103
1880	114,790	60,568	54,222	276	101	1884	1855	1058	774	826	1081	1102	1182
1881	117,770	62,495	55,275	936	— 141	2029	1889	1038	695	991	1194	1927	1053
1882	120,477	63,804	56,673	341	229	2069	1974	1101	805	968	1169	1309	1398
1883	123,277	64,995	58,282	219	444	2235	2024	1263	859	972	1165	1191	1609
1884	126,665	66,534	60,131	395	405	2327	2251	1183	807	1144	1444	1539	1849
1885	128,860	67,712	61,148	— 31	— 375	2368	2269	1159	877	1209	1392	1178	1017
1886	131,190	69,264	61,926	284	— 605	2413	2214	1145	831	1268	1383	1552	778
1887	135,541	71,591	63,950	1180	596	2444	2292	1297	864	1147	1428	2327	2024
1888	137,877	72,482	65,395	— 307	— 98	2373	2404	1175	861	1198	1543	891	1445
1889	141,661	74,242	67,419	530	595	2438	2319	1208	890	1230	1429	1760	2024
1890	144,787	76,453	68,334	961	— 530	2466	2347	1216	902	1250	1445	2211	915
1891	151,150	79,938	71,212	2299	1327	2510	2461	1324	910	1186	1551	3485	2878
1892	150,212	79,753	70,459	—1596	—2238	2584	2381	1173	896	1411	1485	— 185	— 753
1893	150,396	78,780	71,616	—2512	— 448	2699	2517	1160	912	1539	1605	— 973	1157
1894	152,506	79,285	73,221	— 863	59	2470	2382	1102	836	1368	1546	505	1605
1895	154,895	80,485	74,410	— 185	— 405	2432	2358	1047	764	1385	1594	1200	1189
1896	159,296	82,685	76,611	936	763	2373	2230	1109	792	1264	1438	2200	2201
1897	163,962	85,152	78,810	1097	832	2485	2199	1115	832	1370	1367	2467	2199
1898	168,437	88,186	80,251	1942	312	2409	2171	1317	1042	1092	1129	3034	1441
1899	172,362	90,337	82,025	927	528	2415	2259	1191	1013	1224	1246	2151	1774
1900	172,900	89,763	83,137	—1997	— 426	2494	2370	1071	832	1423	1538	— 574	1112
1901	175,233	90,945	84,288	— 387	— 396	2570	2360	1001	813	1569	1547	1182	1151
1902	179,450	93,571	85,879	1066	— 20	2604	2481	1044	870	1560	1611	2626	1591
1903	182,924	95,224	87,700	219	291	2570	2510	1136	980	1434	1530	1653	1821
1904	185,167	95,951	89,216	— 914	— 161	2702	2590	1061	913	1641	1677	727	1516
1905	186,385	95,947	90,438	—1755	— 440	2812	2445	1061	783	1751	1662	— 4	1222
1906	185,472	94,879	90,593	—2742	—1493	2792	2541	1118	893	1674	1648	—1068	155
1907	189,598	96,973	92,625	380	453	2797	2494	1083	915	1714	1579	2094	2032
1908	191,733	97,942	93,791	— 737	— 614	2818	2797	1112	1017	1706	1780	969	1166
1909	193,119	98,514	94,605	—1247	—1025	2849	2651	1030	812	1819	1839	572	814
1910	193,803	98,866	94,937	—1438	—1344	2888	2698	1098	1022	1790	1676	352	332
1911	192,925	98,101	94,824	—2444	—1944	2716	2721	1037	890	1679	1831	— 765	— 113
1912	195,927	100,423	95,504	436	—1230	3016	2837	1130	927	1886	1910	2322	680
1913	199,675	102,695	96,980	390	— 397	3071	2815	1189	942	1882	1873	2272	1476
1914	198,703	101,171	97,532	—3555	—1516	3094	2923	1063	855	2031	2068	—1524	552
1915	197,536	98,653	98,883	—4426	— 571	2991	2854	1083	932	1908	1922	—2518	1351
1916	195,603	95,995	99,608	—4383	—1136	2873	2769	1148	908	1725	1861	—2658	725
1917	198,005	96,928	101,077	— 861	— 345	2720	2656	926	842	1794	1814	933	1469
1918	202,843	100,089	102,754	1403	— 43	2717	2563	959	843	1758	1720	3161	1677
1919	209,867	106,352	103,515	4720	— 814	2718	2592	1175	1017	1543	1575	6263	761
1920	212,752	107,259	105,493	— 946	127	2908	2832	1055	981	1853	1851	907	1978
1921	218,316	110,026	108,290	989	1017	2944	2811	1166	1031	1778	1780	2767	2797
1922	218,924	109,494	109,430	—2443	— 769	2995	2822	1084	913	1911	1909	— 532	1140
1923	219,074	109,546	109,528	—1696	—1674	2888	2769	1140	997	1748	1772	52	98
1924	217,839	108,569	109,270	—2500	—1995	2700	2683	1177	946	1523	1737	— 977	— 258
1925	217,032	108,047	108,985	— 2105	—1924	2664	2554	1081	915	1583	1639	— 522	— 285
1926	214,754	106,330	108,424	— 3261	— 2093	2584	2404	1040	872	1544	1532	—1717	— 561
1927	215,862	10 ,036	108,826	— 735	— 957	2515	2318	1074	959	1441	1359	706	402

* Average 5 years. (—) Sign denotes decrease.

NET MIGRATION (CORRECTED).

Year.	1st Quarter.			2nd Quarter.			3rd Quarter.			4th Quarter.			Whole Year.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1901	*n*	*n*	— 1185	*n*	*n*	— 1445	*n*	*n*	— 327	*n*	*n*	2174	— 387	— 396	— 783
1902	*n*	*n*	— 1567	*n*	*n*	— 1328	*n*	*n*	767	*n*	*n*	3174	1066	— 20	1046
1903	— 39	— 106	— 145	— 220	— 596	— 816	— 12	— 21	— 33	490	1014	1504	219	291	510
1904	49	— 351	— 302	— 1027	— 947	— 1974	— 331	— 68	— 399	395	1205	1600	— 914	— 161	— 1075
1905	— 710	— 366	— 1076	— 1141	— 1224	— 2365	— 226	— 70	— 296	322	1220	1542	— 1755	— 440	— 2195
1906	— 980	— 990	— 1970	— 1595	— 1295	— 2890	— 604	— 197	— 801	437	989	1426	— 2742	— 1493	— 4235
1907	— 672	— 1022	— 1694	— 994	— 1224	— 2218	102	343	445	1944	2356	4300	380	453	833
1908	*n*	*n*	— 2688	*n*	*n*	— 2467	*n*	*n*	— 606	*n*	*n*	4410	— 737	— 614	— 1351
1909	— 876	— 1194	— 2070	— 895	— 1238	— 2133	— 511	— 300	— 811	1035	1707	2742	— 1247	— 1025	— 2272
1910	— 936	— 1196	— 2132	— 1367	— 1435	— 2802	— 615	— 392	— 1007	1480	1679	3159	— 1438	— 1344	— 2782
1911	— 1695	— 1701	— 3396	— 1802	— 1716	— 3518	— 842	— 474	— 1316	1895	1947	3842	— 2444	— 1944	— 4388
1912	— 1420	— 1743	— 3163	— 819	— 1530	— 2349	287	— 296	— 9	2388	2339	4727	436	— 1230	794
1913	— 1197	— 1683	— 2880	— 609	— 1259	— 1868	— 106	54	— 52	2302	2491	4793	390	— 397	— 7
1914	— 2114	— 1978	— 4092	— 1559	— 1539	— 3098	— 606	— 204	— 810	724	2205	2929	— 3555	— 1516	— 5071
1915	— 1352	— 943	— 2295	— 1753	— 1291	— 3044	— 1431	— 250	— 1681	110	1913	2023	— 4426	— 571	— 4997
1916	— 1785	— 1252	— 3037	— 1238	— 1329	— 2567	— 1936	— 249	— 2185	576	1694	2270	— 4383	— 1136	— 5519
1917	— 1134	— 1062	— 2196	— 1404	— 1219	— 2623	— 15	— 43	— 58	1692	1979	3671	— 861	— 345	— 1206
1918	187	— 594	— 407	— 777	— 1350	— 2127	— 462	— 452	— 914	2455	2353	4808	1403	— 43	1360
1919	579	— 1178	— 599	1080	— 519	561	1338	8	1346	1723	875	2598	4720	— 814	3906
1920	170	46	216	— 1158	— 1356	— 2514	— 690	105	— 585	732	1332	2064	— 946	127	— 819
1921	75	85	160	— 1117	— 1618	— 2735	— 273	— 204	— 477	2304	2754	5058	989	1017	2006
1922	— 2048	— 2047	— 4095	— 1287	— 1488	— 2775	— 945	— 99	— 1044	1837	2865	4702	— 2443	— 769	— 3212
1923	— 1716	— 2025	— 3741	— 1361	— 1804	— 3165	— 749	— 462	— 1211	2130	2617	4747	— 1696	— 1674	— 3370
1924	— 2237	— 2386	— 4623	— 1238	— 1562	— 2800	— 719	— 387	— 1106	1694	2340	4034	— 2500	— 1995	— 4495
1925	— 2190	— 2142	— 4332	— 1508	— 1704	— 3212	— 789	— 523	— 1312	2382	2445	4827	— 2105	— 1924	— 4029
1926	— 2994	— 2667	— 5661	— 1697	— 1817	— 3514	— 891	— 386	— 1277	2321	2777	5098	— 3261	— 2093	— 5354
1927	— 2352	— 2533	— 4885	— 1267	— 1756	— 3023	— 604	— 563	— 1167	3488	3895	7383	— 735	— 957	— 1692

NOTE:—The above figures show the gain or loss by migration after taking into account the adjustments mentioned on Page 5. Minus sign indicates loss by migration.

MIGRATION.

Total Arrivals in and Departures from Tasmania.

Year.	Arrivals.			Departures.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1910	21,324	14,053	35,377	22,762	15,397	38,159
1911	24,895	16,608	41,503	27,339	18,552	45,891
1912	28,100	18,569	46,669	27,664	19,799	47,463
1913	27,214	18,669	45,883	26,824	19,066	45,890
1914	24,426	18,221	42,647	27,981	19,737	47,718
1915	22,519	17,248	39,767	26,945	17,819	44,764
1916	23,191	18,170	41,361	27,574	19,306	46,880
1917	19,460	16,464	35,924	20,321	16,809	37,130
1918	21,054	16,585	37,639	19,651	16,628	36,279
1919	15,637	8167	23,804	10,917	8981	19,898
1920	18,812	16,017	34,829	19,758	15,890	35,648
1921	21,420	17,289	38,709	20,431	16,272	36,703
1922	22,324	19,439	41,763	24,767	20,208	44,975
1923	23,477	19,419	42,896	25,173	21,093	46,266
1924	23,756	19,908	43,664	26,256	21,903	48,159
1925	22,059	18,168	40,227	24,164	20,092	44,256
1926	24,980	21,438	46,418	28,241	23,531	51,772
1927	27,364	23,082	50,446	28,099	24,039	52,138

NOTE.—The above figures include an allowance for unrecorded migration based on the experience of the intercensal periods

RATE OF GROWTH, (+) OR (−), PER 1000 MEAN POPULATION, AND MASCULINITY.

Year.	Population.			Rate of Growth.			Masculinity 30th June.
	30th June.	Mean.	Increase 12 months.	From Natural Increase.	From Migration.	Total.	
1911-12	189,105	189,880	535	+ 18·56	— 15·74	+ 2·82	+ 2·26
1912-13	192,903	192,433	3798	+ 19·89	— 0·16	+ 19·73	+ 3·14
1913-14	194,443	195,668	1540	+ 20·39	— 12·52	+ 7·87	+ 2·87
1914-15	195,319	196,320	876	+ 20·86	— 16·40	+ 4·46	+ 1·40
1915-16	193,600	195,970	— 1719	+ 18·08	— 26·85	— 8·77	— 0·41
1916-17	192,590	193,700	— 1010	+ 19·23	— 24·44	— 5·21	— 2·03
1917-18	197,242	196,127	4652	+ 18·22	+ 5·50	+ 23·72	— 1·42
1918-19	204,425	200,727	7183	+ 16·57	+ 19·21	+ 35·78	+ 0·35
1919-20	209,333	208,600	4908	+ 15·64	+ 7·89	+ 23·53	+ 1·48
1920-21	211,887	211,709	2554	+ 17·24	— 9·90	+ 7·34	+ 1·08
1921-22	213,303	214,328	1416	+ 17·29	— 10·68	+ 6·61	+ 0·86
1922-23	213,784	215,182	481	+ 17·33	— 15·10	+ 2·23	+ 0·38
1923-24	213,200	215,016	— 584	+ 15·45	— 18·18	— 2·73	+ 0·20
1924-25	211,906	214,163	— 1294	+ 15·51	— 21·55	— 6·04	— 0·27
1925-26	209,378	212,459	— 2528	+ 11·74	— 26·64	— 11·90	— 0·55
1926-27	208,179	210,389	— 1199	+ 13·73	— 19·43	— 5·70	— 0·67
1927-28	210,546	210,788	2367	+ 13·19	— 1·96	+ 11·23	— 0·59

NOTE.—Rate of growth is best measured as above at the end of each financial year (30th June).
(+) Masculinity denotes excess of males per 100 of population.
(—) Masculinity denotes excess of females per 100 of population.

ELECTORS—NUMBERS ON ROLL.

Electoral Divisions and Subdivisions.	March, 1921.	March, 1928.
BASS :—		
Flinders	429	424
George Town	465	469
Launceston Central	3039	2664
Launceston East	3825	4515
Launceston North	3756	4086
Launceston West	3454	3403
Lilydale	1496	1289
Portland	751	702
Ringarooma	2204	2037
Scottsdale	1433	1281
St. Leonards	868	1046
Total Bass	21,720	21,916
DARWIN :—		
Circular Head	2421	2814
Devonport	2610	2678
Emu Bay	2787	3171
Gormanston	681	378
Kentish	2424	2353
King Island	541	497
Leven	2934	2936
Penguin	1189	1228
Queenstown	1531	1432
Strahan	416	342
Table Cape	2556	2614
Waratah	767	673
Zeehan	1523	1407
Total Darwin	22,380	22,523
DENISON :—		
Hobart Central	3286	2796
Hobart East	2344	1896
Hobart North	5041	4928
Hobart South	4001	3591
Hobart West	3367	3411
New Town	3030	3799
Queenborough	1800	2123
Total Denison	22,869	22,544
FRANKLIN :—		
Clarence	1797	2045
Esperance	1636	1582
Glenorchy	3659(*b*)	1099
Huon	1903	1986
Kingborough	2011	2012
Moonah	(*a*)	3671
Nelson	2463	3175
New Norfolk	2638	2583
Port Cygnet	1394	1388
Richmond	925	916
Sorell	1179	1128
Spring Bay	420	512
Tasman	697	675
Total Franklin	20,722	22,772
WILMOT :—		
Beaconsfield	1728	1621
Bothwell	1222	677
Brighton	1696	1610
Campbell Town	1301	1252
Deloraine	2806	2724
Evandale	1995	2212
Fingal	1432	1426
Glamorgan	442	451
Hamilton	997	995
Latrobe	2084	2281
Longford	2137	2069
Oatlands	1614	1586
Westbury	1943	1972
Total Wilmot	21,397	20,876
Total Tasmania	109,088	110,631
Per Cent. of Population	51·04	52·17

(*a*) Included in Glenorchy. (*b*) Includes Moonah.

PARTY Strength, State General Elections.—1909-1928

Seats in Proportion to No. 1 Preferences, and Seats Actually Won.

		Non-Labour.	Labour.
1909	Proportionate share	18·31	11·09
	Actually won	18	12
1912	Proportionate share	16·35	13·65
	Actually won	16	14
1913	Proportionate share	15·78	13·80*
	Actually won	16	14
1916	Proportionate share	15·46	14·54
	Actually won	16	14
1919	Proportionate share	17·56	12·44
	Actually won	17	13
1922	Proportionate share	18·07	11·42*
	Actually won	17	12
1925	Proportionate share	14·42	15·58
	Actually won	14	16
1928	Proportionate share	14·85	15·15
	Actually won	16	14

* Omitting the votes for an Independent candidate for Wilmot in 1913 who was not elected, and one for Bass in 1922 who was elected.

HOBART AND LAUNCESTON.

Districts.	Population.						
	Census, 1921.				31st March, 1928.		
	M.	F.	Persons.	Males per 100 Females.	M.	F.	Persons
Hobart—							
Old City	16,168	17,717	33,885	91·2	21,071	23,336	44,407
Queenborough	2519	3226	5745	78·1			
New Town	2441	2781	5222	87·8			
Hobart City	21,128	23,724	44,852	89·0	21,071	23,336	44,407
(*a*) Moonah, &c.	2270	2212	4482	102·6	2916	2884	5800
(*b*) Brown's River Road	129	100	229	129·0	150	110	260
Denison (Census Electoral Boundaries)	23,527	26,036	49,563	90·4	24,137	26,330	50,467
Denison (*f*) 1922 Electoral Boundaries	18,662	20,643	39,305	90·4	18,800	20,800	39,600
Denison (Part transferred to Franklin)	4865	5393	10,258	90·2	5337	5530	10,867
(*e*) Glenorchy (Suburban)	702	764	1466	91·9	1005	995	2000
Bellerive (Ward)	570	688	1258	82·9	673	812	1485
Lindisfarne (Ward)	431	510	941	84·5	509	602	1111
Kingston Village and Beach	332	441	773	75·3	350	380	730
Hobart and Suburbs	25,562	28,439	54,001	89·9	26,674	29,119	55,793
(*c*) Hobart District (Vital Statistics)	24,054	26,879	50,933	89·5	25,193	27,414	52,607
(*d*) Metropolitan Area ("Knibbs")	25,185	28,176	53,361	89·4	26,875	29,318	56,193
Launceston—							
City (including Trevallyn and Invermay)	11,500	13,305	24,805	86·4	13,166	15,240	28,406
(*g*) Suburbs	980	1020	2000	96·1			
Launceston and Suburbs	12,480	14,325	26,805	87·1	13,166	15,240	28,406

(*a*) Moonah, Derwent Park, and suburban to Humphreys' Rivulet. (*b*) City boundary to Brown's River. (*c*) The two municipalities of Hobart and Glenorchy. (*d*) The metropolitan area of the Commonwealth Statistician differs from Hobart and suburbs (above) by including the rural parts of Glenorchy (Collinsvale, Collins Cap, Glenlusk, &c.), and excluding Kingston Village and Beach. The migratory population (263 males in Hobart at Census) is also omitted by him. (*e*) Humphreys' Rivulet to Granton on main road. (*f*) Hobart City boundaries—except that area outside Corby-Ave., Glen, Wentworth, & Reform sts., Proctor's Rd. and Lord-st. have been transferred to Franklin Electoral Division (*g*) The Launceston Suburbs include those portions of adjoining municipalities : St. Leonards, Evandale, Westbury, and Beaconsfield which are definitely suburban in character.

Note : The Census populations of Hobart and Launceston are corrected for absentees such as hop-pickers, school children, &c. who were absent at the time of the census.

VITAL STATISTICS.

TASMANIA, 1927.

SUMMARY.

SINCE 1920 births have been allocated to the districts where the parents normally reside, and deaths to the district where the deceased had their usual residences. The rates are consequently true measures for the respective districts, except in so far as a district contains a hospital or infirmary where the inmates are permanent. The average district rates for previous years are adjusted so as to be roughly comparable with those since 1920.

BIRTHS.

There were 4833 births registered in 1927, against 4988 in 1926, and 5218 in 1925. The birth-rate for 1927 was 23·0 (the lowest on record), compared with 23·6 in 1926 and 24·5 in 1925.

The following table gives a comparison between town and country rates:—

Birth-rate.

	1927.	1926.	1925.	1911-20.
Urban Districts	20·2	20·9	22·4	26·9(*a*)
Rural Districts	25·0	25·4	25·9	29·7(*a*)
Tasmania	23·01	23·62	24·45	28·12

(*a*) Rough estimate.

The falling-off of the birth-rate is a phenomenon common to all the Australian States, and, in fact, to most civilised countries. The decline in Tasmania since 1913 has been over 20 per cent. The figures for all the other States show a decline very similar in degree to the decline in Tasmania, where the birth-rate still remains higher than in any other Australian State. It may be, however, that in consequence of the excessive drain on Tasmanian population in the last four years the decline in the Tasmanian rate will continue after the general Australian rate has reached stability.

DEATHS.

Deaths registered in 1927 were 2033, against 1912 in 1926. The death-rate in 1927 was 9·7, compared with 9·1 in 1926 and 9·4 in 1925. The death-rate in Hobart is adversely affected by the inclusion of the New Town Infirmary and Consumptive Sanatorium deaths, which should properly be distributed over the State. New Norfolk (included in the Southern Division) in the same way has an exaggerated death-rate due to the Mental Diseases Hospital. When allowance is made on this account the death-rate of Hobart is reduced to 11·3 per 1000, compared with 10·9 in 1926 and 10·7 in 1925.

The following table gives a comparison between town and country mortality in Tasmania after allowance is made for such institutions as mentioned above:—

Deaths per 1000 *of Population.*

	1927.	1926.	1925.	1911-20.
Urban Districts	11·3	10·6	10·8	12·4(*a*)
Country Districts	8·5	8·0	8·4	8·8(*a*)
Tasmania	9·68	9·05	9·35	10·11

(*a*) Rough estimate.

The death-rate for Tasmania was, as usual, slightly above the average for the Commonwealth. The difference, however, is not significant in respect to health, as it is only an effect of different age-constitution of the population.

NATURAL INCREASE.

The natural increase for 1927 was 13·3 per 1000, against 14·6 in 1926, 15·1 in 1925, 15·2 in 1924, a war-time average of 18·0, and a pre-war average of 19·5. In the past Tasmania has always had a higher rate of natural increase than the other States, and, though the margin is small, the same was true in 1927.

INFANT MORTALITY.

There were 256 infant deaths in 1927, against 232 in 1926 and 287 in 1925. The infant death-rate for 1927 was 53·0 per 1000 births, compared with 46·5 in 1926 and 55·0 in 1925. Since 1921, when infant mortality was high on account of an epidemic of summer diarrhœa, the rate has settled to a new low standard, with an average of about 54 per 1000 births.

Infant mortality in all the other States was, in 1927, a little higher than in Tasmania, except in W.A., where it was under 46 per 1000 births Of the 256 infant deaths, 168 were under the age of one month, leaving only 88, or 18 per 1000 births, between the ages of one month and under 1 year. Infant deaths in the first month of life corespond roughly to " prenatal " causes, and infant deaths in the subsequent eleven months correspond roughly to " preventable causes."

The difference between town and country in respect to "preventable" infant mortality may be inferred from the following table:—

Infant Deaths (1 month and under 1 Year of Age) per 1000 Births.

	1927.	1926.	1925.	1924.
Urban Districts	25	19	34	27
Rural Districts	14	12	22	19
Tasmania	18·2	14·8	26·6	22·1

Still-Births.

There were 176 still-births registered in 1927, against 138 in 1926, and 154 in 1925. Still-births and infant deaths under 1 month of age together accounted for 71 deaths per 1000 live births, against 18 infant deaths per 1000 live births from "preventable causes."

The still-birth rate is about the same for town and country districts, while the infant mortality rate, both for the first month of the first year, is about 50 per cent. higher in the towns than in the country.

Causes of Death (Infants).

The three principal groups of causes of infant deaths were each below the average. The figures for the last three years and the decennial average, 1917-26, are shown in the following table:—

	1927.	1926.	1925.	Average 1917-26.
Diseases of Respiratory System	30	20	38	43
Diseases of Stomach	34	30	30	51
Prenatal Causes	166	152	154	174

Infant deaths have been low the past few years on account of the absence of epidemic diseases. The last epidemic of summer diarrhœa was in 1921. There was, however, an epidemic of whooping cough in 1925, which accounted for 23 infant deaths, but there were no deaths from this cause in 1927.

CAUSES OF DEATHS (GENERAL).

The outstanding feature of 1927 was the large number of deaths from cancer and heart disease. Cancer accounted for 216 deaths, or 42 more than the decennial average, and heart disease accounted for 302 deaths, or 50 more than the decennial average. The large number of deaths from heart disease is, to some extent, due to an improved method of classification of joint causes. The death-rate from cancer has been increasing for the past 30 years, and the rate for 1927 (103 per 100,000) shows a greater rate of increase than in the past. The highest rate previously recorded was 92 per 100,000 in 1925 and 1924. Deaths from cancer per cent. to deaths from all causes were 10·6, against 9·7 in 1926 and 9·9 in 1925. Deaths from diabetes and nephritis were also above normal in 1927, and deaths from infectious diseases and diarrhœa and enteritis were below the average. No other disease showed a large departure from normal.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

There were 898 infectious diseases notified in 1927, against 860 in 1926, and 1065 in 1925. The figures for the principal diseases are as follows:—

	1927.	1926.	1925.
Typhoid	77	80	50
Scarlet Fever	91	188	288
Diphtheria	507	347	473
Phthisis	171	178	183
Syphilis	23	41	44
Puerperal Fever	21	11	16

MARRIAGES.

There were 1432 marriages in 1927, against 1435 in 1926, and 1504 in 1925. The marriage rate (6·82) showed a slight increase compared to 1926. Previous to 1927 the marriage rate showed a consistent decline since 1920.

VITAL STATISTICS, AUSTRALASIA—GENERAL SUMMARY, 1927.

State.	Birth Rate.	Death Rate.	Rate of Natural Increase.	Infant Deaths per 1000 Births.				Deaths per 100,000 (mean population).											
				All Causes.	P.	D.	R.	Diphtheria.	Phthisis.	Other Tuberculosis.	Syphilis.	Cancer.	Heart Disease.	Cerebral Hæmorrhage.	Pneumonia and Broncho-Pneumonia.	Nephritis.	Old Age.	External Causes.
New South Wales	22·68	9·59	13·09	55·0	29·6	7·3	8·3	8	44	6	2	93	159	45	81	48	44	73
Victoria	20·30	9·71	10·59	56·1	32·0	8·0	7·8	5	55	10	3	100	132	46	73	55	65	61
Queensland	22·23	9·06	13·17	54·5	31·1	10·5	5·6	9	42		1	82	125	35	55	56	63	70
South Australia	20·12	8·98	11·14	53·7	30·6	4·6	8·1	3	56	8	3	93	102	46	61	47	78	78
West Australia	22·03	8·81	13·22	47·2	*n*	8·6	4·7	2	60	4	2	88	86	45	57	40	61	91
Tasmania	23·01	9·68	13·33	53·0	34·3	6·4	6·2	5	57	12	...	103	144	46	68	41	81	54
Commonwealth	21·67	9·45	12·22	54·5	30·4	7·8	7·5	6	49	7	2	93	136	43	72	50	59	*n*
New Zealand	20·29	8·45	11·84	38·7	26·1	1·4	4·2	4	39	10	2	96	156	56	38	30	59	64
Chief Towns.																			
Sydney	18·97	9·60	9·37	56·4	29·0	7·9	8·0	6	48	6	2	103	164	52	84	54	33	72
Melbourne	18·65	10·15	8·50	62·5	34·2	10·0	9·5	5	63	12	4	111	141	51	81	66	52	57
Brisbane	20·96	10·22	10·74	58·0	37·3	6·4	6·5	8	53		1	108	150	48	72	73	55	55
Adelaide	18·64	10·31	8·33	61·2	35·0	3·8	10·5	3	79	9	3	111	113	51	71	54	97	86
Perth	19·2	10·0	9·2	57·7	*n*	13·3	4·6	1	60		3	112	170	53	61	61	82	60
Hobart	21·16	12·07	9·09	71·0	43·7	10·9	10·0	...	108	12	...	127	227	42	64	48	135	49
Launceston	17·70	11·48	6·22	74·3	40·2	24·1	4·0	11	64	28	...	142	145	71	82	64	74	53
Auckland	17·67	8·79	8·88	37·7	24·7	1·1	5·6	5	39	7	1	118	183	70	43	27	61	54
Christchurch	17·62	9·49	8·13	59·2	42·9	1·9	5·6	1	37	9	2	125	239	61	27	38	62	53
Dunedin	16·13	10·51	5·62	42·5	29·1	1·5	7·5	1	55	14	1	125	178	88	42	42	89	57
Wellington	18·55	8·44	10·11	43·5	27·3	3·0	4·3	7	53	13	6	105	140	62	50	24	40	62

P. = Prenatal Causes, Nos. 159, 160, 161, and 162. D. = Digestive Diseases, No. 113. R. = Diseases of Respiratory System.
n Not available.

BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND METEOROLOGY IN EACH MONTH OF 1927

Month.	Births.				Deaths.							Meteorology.		
			Ex-Nuptial,		Total.		Under 1 Year.							
	No.	Annual Rate per 1000.	No.	Per cent. to Total Births.	No.	Annual Rate per 1000.	Total.	Rate per 1000 Births.	P.	D.	R.	Rainfall.	Mean Maximum Temperature.	Mean Minimum Temperature.
												in.	°	°
January	376	21·48	18	4·8	166	9·49	23	61	13	8	1	1·40	72·9	53·4
February	342	19·54	14	4·1	122	6·97	21	61	12	6	1	2·69	72·4	51·7
March	393	22·46	21	5·3	163	9·32	17	43	11	4	1	1·61	66·8	48·0
April	347	19·83	19	5·5	149	8·52	18	52	10	2	2	0·30	63·1	45·7
May	426	24·34	23	5·4	171	9·77	17	40	12	2	1	3·70	57·7	42·9
June	407	23·26	26	6·4	187	10·68	26	64	18	2	4	2·00	51·9	36·3
July	386	22·06	21	5·4	186	10·63	23	60	11	2	4	3·40	52·4	40·7
August	456	26·06	20	4·4	199	11·37	28	61	18	3	5	4·77	55·0	39·6
September	422	24·11	16	3·8	182	10·40	16	38	13	...	3	1·88	59·4	41·9
October	419	23·94	28	6·7	156	8·92	15	36	10	1	1	1·93	64·6	45·9
November	463	26·46	24	5·2	179	10·23	30	65	20	2	5	0·96	68·9	48·2
December	396	22·63	16	4·0	173	9·89	22	56	18	2	2	3·62	71·7	52·7
Total	4833	23·01	246	5·1	2033	9·68	256	53	166	34	30	28·26	63·1	45·6

P = Pre-natal Causes, Nos. 159, 160, 161. and 162.
D = Digestive Diseases, Nos. 112 and 113.
R = Diseases of Respiratory System.
The Rainfall is the mean for Hobart, Launceston, Burnie, and Scottsdale.
Mean Temperature is the mean for Hobart and Launceston.

BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES, AND INFANT DEATHS.

NUMBERS and Annual Rates.

Year.	Mean Population.	Number.				Rate per 1000 of Mean Population.			Rate per 1000 Births.
		Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Infant Deaths.	Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Infant Deaths.
1830	24,279	460	270	163	...	18·95	11·12	6·71	...
1835	40,172	730	525	356	...	18·17	13·07	8·86	...
1840	45,999	404	501	457	...	22·61	10·89	9·93	...
1842–5	61,047	1376	800	641	...	22·54	13·10	10·50	...
1846–50	67,936	1708	909	797	...	25·14	13·38	11·73	...
1851–55	66,684	2396	1638	1257	...	35·93	24·56	18·85	...
1856–60	84,555	3164	1495	801	388	37·42	17·68	9·47	123
1861–65	90,963	3091	1391	668	305	33·99	15·30	7·35	99
1866	94,928	2805	1328	571	264	29·55	13·99	6·02	94
1867	96,316	2971	1418	597	267	30·85	14·72	6·20	90
1868	97,741	2990	1462	654	351	30·59	14·96	6·69	117
1869	98,964	2859	1339	651	289	28·89	13·49	6·58	101
1870	100,038	3054	1404	670	298	30·53	14·03	6·70	98
1871	101,393	3053	1355	598	260	30·11	13·36	5·90	85
1872	102,467	3013	1411	632	306	29·40	13·77	6·17	102
1873	103,673	3048	1512	659	266	29·40	14·58	6·35	87
1874	104,286	3097	1690	712	321	29·70	16·21	6·83	104
1875	104,000	3105	2079	689	407	29·86	19·99	6·63	131
1876	104,644	3149	1733	746	286	30·09	16·56	7·13	91
1877	106,354	3211	2040	831	365	30·19	19·18	7·81	114
1878	108,576	3502	1701	866	375	32·25	15·67	7·98	107
1879	111,250	3564	1688	804	384	32·04	15·17	7·23	108
1880	113,648	3739	1832	840	420	32·90	16·12	7·39	112
1881	116,280	3918	1733	856	405	33·69	14·90	7·36	103
1882	119,124	4043	1906	969	419	33·94	16·00	8·13	104
1883	121,877	4259	2122	1120	528	34·95	17·41	9·19	124
1884	124,971	4578	1990	1003	457	36·63	15·92	8·03	100
1885	127,763	4637	2036	1054	522	36·29	15·94	8·25	113
1886	130,025	4627	1976	985	485	35·59	15·20	7·58	105
1887	133,366	4736	2161	939	478	35·51	16·20	7·04	101
1888	136,709	4777	2036	951	460	34·94	14·89	6·96	96
1889	139,769	4757	2098	967	506	34·03	15·01	6·92	106
1890	143,224	4813	2118	954	508	33·60	14·79	6·66	106
1891	147,969	4971	2234	988	470	33·59	15·10	6·68	95
1892	150,681	4965	2069	995	492	32·95	13·73	6·60	99
1893	150,304	5216	2072	848	546	34·70	13·79	5·64	105
1894	151,451	4852	1938	847	438	32·04	12·80	5·59	90
1895	153,701	4790	1811	846	391	31·16	11·78	5·50	82
1896	157,096	4603	1901	864	410	29·30	12·10	5·50	89
1897	161,629	4684	1947	1052	411	28·98	12·05	6·51	88
1898	166,200	4580	2359	1097	531	27·56	14·19	6·60	116
1899	170,400	4674	2204	1147	543	27·43	12·93	6·73	116
1900	172,631	4864	1903	1332	389	28·18	11·02	7·72	80
1901	172,525	4930	1814	1338	439	28·58	10·51	7·76	89
1902	175,173	5085	1914	1313	402	29·03	10·93	7·50	79
1903	180,375	5080	2116	1344	563	28·16	11·73	7·45	111
1904	183,007	5292	1974	1350	480	28·92	10·79	7·38	91
1905	184,478	5257	1844	1365	424	28·50	10·00	7·40	80
1906	184,272	5333	2011	1398	487	28·94	10·91	7·59	91
1907	184,791	5291	1998	1410	438	28·63	10·81	7·63	82
1908	187,485	5615	2129	1432	426	29·95	11·36	7·64	76
1909	190,227	5500	1842	1494	361	28·91	9·68	7·85	66
1910	191,005	5586	2120	1493	569	29·25	11·10	7·82	101·9
1911	190,120	5437	1927	1477	403	28·60	10·14	7·77	74·1
1912	190,769	5853	2057	1506	393	30·68	10·78	7·89	67·1
1913	194,361	5886	2131	1620	417	30·29	10·96	8·33	70·7
1914	196,041	6017	1918	1543	431	30·69	9·78	7·87	71·6
1915	196,230	5845	2015	1600	422	29·78	10·27	8·15	72·2
1916	194,265	5642	2056	1433	423	29·05	10·58	7·38	75·0
1917	194,210	5376	1768	1138	281	27·68	9·10	5·86	52·3
1918	198,193	5280	1802	1131	321	26·64	9·09	5·71	60·8
1919	204,959	5310	2192	1513	343	25·91	10·69	7·38	64·6
1920	210,350	5740	2036	1999	374	27·29	9·68	9·50	65·2
1921	213,274	5755	2197	1668	451	26·98	10·30	7·82	78·4
1922	214,777	5817	1997	1674	324	27·08	9·30	7·79	55·7
1923	215,327	5657	2137	1592	326	26·27	9·92	7·39	57·6
1924	214,687	5383	2123	1529	296	25·07	9·89	7·12	55·0
1925	213,469	5218	1996	1504	287	24·45	9·35	7·05	55·0
1926	211,216	4988	1912	1435	232	23·62	9·05	6·79	46·5
1927	210,000	4833	2033	1432	256	23·01	9·68	6·82	53·0

BIRTHS AND DEATHS IN CHIEF TOWNS AND DIVISIONS.

BIRTHS.

District.	Mean Population, Year 1927.	Number.		Annual Rate per 1000.			
		1927.	1926.	1927.	1926.	1925.	Decennial Average. 1911-20.
Hobart City	43,800	904	929	20·6	21·1	22·9	...
Glenorchy	8140	195	171	23·9	20·9	24·6	...
Total Hobart District	51,940	1099	1100	21·2	21·1	23·2	...
Launceston City and Suburbs	28,130	498	555	17·7	20·4	20·5	...
Devonport	6440	150	143	23·3	22·1	23·6	...
Total Urban Districts	86,510	1747	1798	20·2	20·9	22·4	26·9 (a)
Rural Divisions—							
North-Western Division	42,160	1028	1116	24·4	26·3	27·0	...
North-Eastern Division	19,260	453	464	23·5	23·6	24·2	...
North Midland Division†	10,450	245	235	23·4	21·0	24·5	...
Midland Division	8970	227	234	25·3	25·5	25·7	...
South-Eastern Division	12,590	308	320	24·5	25·3	24·6	...
Southern Division	21,800	611	594	28·0	27·1	26·7	...
Western Division	8260	214	227	25·9	27·3	25·5	...
Total Rural Divisions	123,490	3086	3190	25·0	25·4	25·9	29·7 (a)
Tasmania	210,000	4833	4988	23·01	23·62	24·45	28·12

DEATHS.

District.	Mean Population, Year 1927.	Number.		Annual Rate per 1000.			
		1927.	1926.	1927.	1926.	1925.	Decennial Average. 1911-20.
Hobart City	43,800	552	552	12·6	12·5	12·3	...
Glenorchy	8140	75	61	9·2	7·5	7·5	...
Total Hobart District	51,940	627	613	12·1	11·7	11·5	...
Launceston City and Suburbs	28,130	323	275	11·5	10·1	10·6	...
Devonport	6440	63	52	9·8	8·0	9·4	...
Total Urban Districts	86,510	1013	940	11·7	10·9	11·1	12·7 (a)
Rural Divisions—							
North-Western Division	42,160	299	295	7·1	7·0	7·1	...
North-Eastern Division	19,260	159	163	8·3	8·3	8·1	...
North Midland Division†	10,450	104	76	10·0	6·8	9·0	...
Midland Division	8970	76	86	8·5	9·4	8·1	...
South-Eastern Division	12,590	107	101	8·5	8·0	8·8	...
Southern Division	21,800	199	179	9·1	8·2	8·7	...
Western Division	8260	76	72	9·2	8·7	10·9	...
Total Rural Divisions	123,490	1020	972	8·3	7·8	8·2	8·6 (a)
Tasmania	210,000	2033	1912	9·68	9·05	9·35	10·11

† Excluding Launceston suburbs, which are in St. Leonards Municipality.
(a) Rough estimate calculated so as to be fairly comparable with 1925, 1926, and 1927.

INFANTILE MORTALITY IN CHIEF TOWNS AND DIVISIONS.

District.	Births, 1927.	Number of Deaths under 1 year.		Annual Rate per 1000 Births.			Still Births, 1927.	Still Births, 1926.
		1927.	1926.	1927.	1926.	1925.		
Hobart City	904	63	59	70	63	75	38	22
Glenorchy	195	15	10	77	58	83	7	6
Total Hobart District	1099	78	69	71	63	76	45	28
Launceston City and Suburbs	498	37	33	74	59	81	16	14
Devonport	150	4	3	27	21	45	4	3
Total Urban Districts	1747	119	105	68	58	75	65	45
Rural Divisions—								
North-Western Division	1028	40	44	39	39	50	41	38
North-Eastern Division	453	23	18	51	39	45	14	17
North-Midland Division	245	7	9	29	38	25	19	6
Midland Division	227	14	11	62	47	34	9	8
South-Eastern Division	308	11	14	36	44	29	6	2
Southern Division	611	24	18	39	30	40	17	12
Western Division	214	18	13	84	57	62	5	10
Total Rural Divisions	3086	137	127	44	40	43	111	93
Tasmania	4833	256	232	53·0	46·5	55·0	176	138

The Decennial Average, 1911-20, Infantile Mortality Rate for Urban Districts was 90; Rural Districts, 56; and for Tasmania, 67·5.
Births, Still-Births, and Infant Deaths are allocated to the Districts where they properly belong.

INFANT MORTALITY—FIRST MONTH AND SUBSEQUENT ELEVEN MONTHS.

Annual Rates Per 1000 *Births.*

District.	First Month of Age.			Subsequent Eleven Months of Age.		
	1927.	1926.	1925.	1927.	1926.	1925.
Hobart City	45	46	47	24	17	28
Glenorchy	46	35	29	31	23	53
Total Hobart District	46	45	44	25	18	32
Launceston City and Suburbs	42	34	36	32	25	45
Devonport	27	14	39	—	7	6
Total Urban Districts	43	39	41	25	19	34
Rural Divisions—						
North-Western Division	28	30	25	11	9	25
North-Eastern Division	35	24	20	15	15	25
North Midland Division	16	21	18	12	17	7
Midland Division	35	38	13	26	9	21
South-Eastern Division	26	28	16	10	16	13
Southern Division	25	15	19	15	15	22
Western Division	61	48	24	23	9	38
Total Rural Divisions	30	28	21	14	12	22
Tasmania	34·8	31·7	28·4	18·2	14·8	26·6

Note: Deaths in the first month correspond roughly with deaths from "prenatal" causes and in the subsequent eleven months to deaths from "preventable causes."

BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND NATURAL INCREASE IN 1927, IN EACH MUNICIPALITY.

MUNICIPALITY.	Estimated Mean Population, 1927.	Births.			Deaths.			Natural Increase.			Rate per 1000 Natural Increase.
		Males.	Fem.	Total.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	
URBAN DISTRICTS.											
Hobart City	43,800	489	415	904	266	286	552	223	129	352	8·0
Glenorchy	8140	106	89	195	38	37	75	68	52	120	14·7
Launceston District	28,130	263	235	498	166	157	323	97	78	175	6·2
Devonport	6440	70	80	150	28	35	63	42	45	87	13·5
Total Urban Districts	86,510	928	819	1747	498	515	1013	430	304	734	8·5
NORTH-WESTERN DIVISON—											
Circular Head	6310	84	81	165	17	10	27	67	71	138	21·9
Deloraine	5480	56	48	104	21	21	42	35	27	62	11·3
Emu Bay	6340	63	85	148	23	11	34	40	74	114	18·0
Kentish	4660	59	48	107	16	12	28	43	36	79	17·0
King Island	980	15	15	30	2	5	7	13	10	23	23·5
Latrobe	3950	51	57	108	24	21	45	27	36	63	15·9
Leven	6050	80	72	152	28	26	54	52	46	98	16·2
Penguin	2770	24	22	46	9	5	14	15	17	32	11·5
Table Cape	5820	91	77	168	26	22	48	65	55	120	21·4
Total North-Western Division	42,160	523	505	1028	166	133	299	357	372	729	17·3
NORTH-EASTERN DIVISION—											
Beaconsfield	3310	32	28	60	14	7	21	18	21	39	11·8
Fingal	3140	34	52	86	16	11	27	18	41	59	18·8
Flinders Island	880	8	12	20	2	4	6	6	8	14	15·9
George Town	1000	5	13	18	4	3	7	1	10	11	11·0
Lilydale	2560	23	44	67	6	11	17	17	33	50	19·5
Portland	1460	20	16	36	6	8	14	14	8	22	15·1
Ringarooma	4180	54	53	107	16	17	33	38	36	74	17·7
Scottsdale	2730	32	27	59	19	15	34	13	12	25	9·2
Total North-Eastern Division	19,260	208	245	453	83	76	159	125	169	294	15·3
N. MIDLAND DIVISION—											
Evandale	1530	25	14	39	6	2	8	19	12	31	20·3
Longford	3640	47	42	89	24	22	46	23	20	43	11·8
St. Leonards†	1560	20	19	39	10	5	15	10	14	24	15·4
Westbury	3720	43	35	78	21	14	35	22	21	43	11·6
Total N. Midland Division	10,450	135	110	245	61	43	104	74	67	141	13·5
MIDLAND DIVISION—											
Bothwell	1800	18	14	32	5	6	11	13	8	21	11·7
Campbell Town	1410	23	25	48	15	8	23	8	17	25	17·7
Hamilton	2140	31	21	52	7	6	13	24	15	39	18·2
Oatlands	2920	35	43	78	16	9	25	19	34	53	18·1
Ross	700	9	8	17	2	2	4	7	6	13	18·6
Total Midland Division	8970	116	111	227	45	31	76	71	80	151	16·8
SOUTH-EASTERN DIVISION—											
Brighton	1910	18	29	47	9	10	19	9	19	28	14·7
Clarence	3740	42	33	75	14	21	35	28	12	40	10·7
Glamorgan	780	10	8	18	2	3	5	8	5	13	16·7
Green Ponds	1110	18	10	28	..	9	9	18	1	19	17·1
Richmond	1770	26	29	55	7	4	11	19	25	44	24·9
Sorell	2090	28	30	58	13	7	20	15	23	38	18·2
Spring Bay	1190	18	9	27	4	4	8	14	5	19	16·0
Total South-Eastern Division	12,590	160	148	308	49	58	107	111	90	201	16·0
SOUTHERN DIVISION—											
Bruny	650	9	7	16	3	..	3	6	7	13	20·0
Esperance	3150	46	41	87	10	12	22	36	29	65	20 6
Huon	4010	76	64	140	21	11	32	55	53	108	26·9
Kingborough	3670	53	41	94	18	12	30	35	29	64	17·4
New Norfolk	6250	90	77	167	51	33	84	39	44	83	13·3
Port Cygnet	2560	38	36	74	10	7	17	28	29	57	22·3
Tasman	1510	20	13	33	8	3	11	12	10	22	14·6
Total Southern Division	21,800	332	279	611	121	78	199	211	201	412	18·9
WESTERN DIVISION—											
Gormanston	770	12	11	23	4	—	4	8	11	19	24·7
Queenstown	2770	35	28	63	16	7	23	19	21	40	14·4
Strahan	700	6	7	13	4	1	5	2	6	8	11·4
Waratah	1460	28	27	55	6	11	17	22	16	38	26·0
Zeehan	2560	32	28	60	21	6	27	11	22	33	12·9
Total Western Division	8260	113	101	214	51	25	76	62	76	138	16·7
Total Country Divisions	123,490	1587	1499	3086	576	444	1020	1011	1055	2066	16·7
Total (affecting Population)	210,000	2515	2318	4833	1074	959	2033	1441	1359	2800	13·33
Per cent. to Total	..	52·04	47·96	100·00	52·83	47·17	100·00	51·46	48·54	100·00	—

† Excluding Launceston suburbs, which are in St. Leonards Municipality.

NOTE.—Country Births and Deaths occurring in City Hospitals and Nursing Homes are ascribed to the districts where they belong.

BIRTHS.—DECENNIAL RETURN.

Number of Births and Average Birth-rate in each Municipality.

MUNICIPALITY, Year / Mean Population	1918.	1919.	1920	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.	Rate per 1000 Population 1927.	Average Rate per 1000 Population. 1920-27.
	198,198	204,959	210,350	213,274	214,777	215,327	214,687	213,469	211,216	210,000		
Hobart	1340	1257	1230	1131	1161	1075	1016	1016	929	904	20·6	23·4
Glenorchy		93	152	156	199	206	233	206	171	195	23·9	25·3
Launceston (a)	853	835	760	624	623	586	610	554	555	498	17·7	22·1
Devonport	147	142	182	179	188	201	192	155	143	150	23·3	27·1
Total Urban Division.	2340	2327	2324	2090	2171	2068	2051	1931	1798	1747	20·2	23·4
Circular Head	127	137	161	168	174	193	192	176	175	165	26·2	29·2
Deloraine	128	132	152	169	175	192	163	139	125	104	19·0	26·3
Emu Bay	191	188	183	182	181	187	174	192	161	148	23·3	28·3
Kentish	103	95	98	144	128	133	113	151	110	107	23·0	24·8
King Island	25	32	21	38	42	33	36	28	25	30	30·6	31·1
Latrobe	111	154	146	99	137	110	96	107	121	108	27·3	31·2
Leven	175	190	210	181	177	171	176	165	157	152	25·1	28·3
Penguin	56	58	64	90	80	93	81	72	73	46	16·6	27·1
Table Cape	162	134	178	197	191	196	171	146	169	168	29·9	30·9
Total N.W. Division	1078	1120	1213	1268	1285	1308	1202	1176	1116	1028	24·4	28·2
Beaconsfield	83	60	95	86	81	76	79	66	67	60	18·1	22·1
Fingal	98	98	91	92	90	99	79	78	79	86	27·4	25·8
Flinders Island	27	26	29	35	35	25	26	23	26	20	22·7	30·1
George Town	4	2	9	22	19	19	25	19	17	18	18·0	18·4
Lilydale	23	32	62	93	78	68	55	63	53	67	26·2	23·9
Portland	32	39	51	38	31	41	21	40	29	36	24·7	23·7
Ringarooma	120	90	141	150	147	119	133	123	125	107	25·6	29·4
Scottsdale	76	82	99	103	97	82	92	73	68	59	21·6	29·6
Total N.E. Division.	463	429	577	619	578	529	510	485	464	453	23·5	25·9
Evandale	39	41	38	36	46	43	39	41	38	39	25·5	24·4
Longford	85	106	90	116	99	87	88	98	87	89	24·4	24·8
St. Leonards(a)	...	...	16	52	40	44	40	44	33	39	25·0	22·7
Westbury	80	74	84	95	97	91	84	94	77	78	21·0	22·3
Total N. Mid. Division.	204	221	228	299	282	265	251	277	235	245	23·4	23·6
Bothwell	22	15	32	41	37	28	41	31	30	32	17·8	18·2
Campbell Town	21	27	42	43	44	48	30	53	46	48	34·0	29·4
Hamilton	58	48	60	50	60	48	52	49	71	52	24·3	26·6
Oatlands	81	93	81	98	87	104	81	91	73	78	26·7	28 8
Ross	15	16	21	17	20	19	15	14	14	17	24·3	23·1
Total Midland Division	197	199	236	249	248	247	219	238	234	227	25·3	25·6
Brighton	197	27	46	54	61	46	47	44	43	47	24·6	24·8
Clarence	49	63	65	74	77	102	84	81	89	75	20·1	22·5
Glamorgan	12	12	22	25	32	35	26	27	22	18	23·1	32·6
Green Ponds	21	23	30	30	25	35	26	34	27	28	25·2	25·7
Richmond	27	33	41	45	59	43	58	51	39	55	31·1	27·3
Sorell	55	58	70	53	75	72	58	51	83	58	27·8	30·9
Spring Bay	8	7	12	14	16	16	21	20	17	27	22·7	17·2
Total S.E. Division	203	223	286	295	345	349	320	308	320	308	24·5	25·5
Bruny	1	1	12	12	20	9	12	11	16	16	24·6	21·0
Esperance	80	65	91	100	92	95	80	94	82	87	27·6	27·8
Huon	103	109	117	124	139	144	135	102	136	140	34·9	32·2
Kingborough	45	36	76	86	102	94	83	92	95	94	25·6	25·2
New Norfolk	165	147	168	203	205	201	193	185	173	167	26·7	28·6
Port Cygnet	46	77	65	92	92	82	62	82	59	74	28·9	28·5
Tasman	22	25	32	35	25	31	34	28	33	33	21·9	21·3
Total S. Division.	462	460	561	652	675	656	599	594	594	611	28·0	27·9
Gormanston	45	55	37	45	28	24	30	16	18	23	29·9	25·3
Queenstown	112	99	101	86	81	85	66	68	75	63	22·7	28·4
Strahan	18	32	30	26	29	29	24	9	21	13	18·6	28·8
Waratah	79	67	76	56	49	40	51	57	54	55	37·7	35·2
Zeehan	79	78	71	70	46	57	60	59	59	60	23·4	23·0
Total Western Division	333	331	315	283	233	235	231	209	227	214	25·9	27·6
Total Country Divisions	2940	2983	3416	3665	3646	3589	3332	3287	3190	3086	25·0	26·8
Total Births (affecting Population)	5280	5310	5740	5755	5817	5657	5383	5218	4988	4833	23·01	25·47
Birth-rate per 1000 of Mean Population	26·64	25·91	27·29	26·98	27·08	26·27	25·07	24·45	23·62	23·01	...	...

(a) Since 1920 Launceston includes its suburbs Mowbray, Newstead, Sandhill, which are in the St. Leonards Municipality. Previous to 1920 all St. Leonards is included in the Launceston District.

NOTE.—Since 1920, births occurring in hospitals and nursing homes are ascribed to the districts to which they properly belong. Previous to 1920 births are ascribed to the district where they were registered.

DEATHS.—DECENNIAL RETURN.

Number of Deaths and Average Death-rate in each Municipality.

MUNICIPALITY — Year	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.	Rate per 1000 Population.	Average Rate per 1000 Population.
Mean Population	198,193	204,959	210,350	213,274	214,777	215,327	214,687	213,469	211,216	210,000	1927.	1920-27.
Hobart	590	623	516	594	567	590	555	543	552	552	12·6	12·3
Glenorchy	36	63	67	57	64	63	63	61	75	9·2	8·7	
Launceston District (a)	350	479	336	314	257	335	331	288	275	323	11·5	11·2
Devonport	38	65	57	60	52	65	59	62	52	63	9·8	9·2
Total Urban Division	978	1203	972	1035	933	1054	1008	956	940	1013	11·7	11·4
Circular Head	23	30	29	34	34	42	53	35	32	27	4·3	6·0
Deloraine	26	32	44	49	51	63	49	53	42	42	7·7	8·6
Emu Bay	30	33	28	52	31	35	44	42	40	34	5·4	6·2
Kentish	36	24	26	45	33	32	32	29	40	28	6·0	6·7
King Island	2	5	4	6	10	2	6	9	7	7	7·1	6·3
Latrobe	73	88	82	58	45	31	39	41	37	45	11·4	12·7
Leven	43	60	51	76	58	53	51	46	48	54	8·9	8·9
Penguin	14	14	18	10	24	17	17	12	12	14	5·1	5·6
Table Cape	42	35	31	49	43	45	43	41	37	48	8·5	7·4
Total N.W. Division	289	321	313	379	329	320	334	308	295	299	7·1	7·6
Beaconsfield	29	29	39	33	29	35	44	35	32	21	6·3	9·7
Fingal	27	27	27	34	32	40	36	26	26	27	8·6	9·2
Flinders Island	4	2	10	10	8	7	11	5	17	6	6·8	10·2
George Town	5	11	7	2	8	11	8	7	14	7	7·0	8·0
Lilydale	5	16	18	29	17	11	20	21	15	17	6·6	6·6
Portland	11	14	9	17	12	13	6	8	10	14	9·6	7·4
Ringarooma	25	26	36	35	37	27	26	31	23	33	7·9	7·0
Scottsdale	14	27	14	30	37	37	36	30	26	34	12·4	10·7
Total N.E. Division	120	152	160	190	180	181	187	163	163	159	8·3	8·6
Evandale	10	16	22	15	16	18	15	17	12	8	5·2	9·3
Longford	26	36	44	40	40	48	47	41	30	46	12·6	11·1
St. Leonards(a)	...	...	6	15	13	10	13	13	4	15	9·6	6·6
Westbury	31	36	30	31	27	35	39	31	30	35	9·4	8·3
Total N. Mid. Division	67	88	102	101	96	111	114	102	76	104	10·0	9·1
Bothwell	4	10	17	19	19	14	15	9	16	11	6·1	8·0
Campbell Town	11	18	18	23	22	24	17	19	22	23	16·3	13·9
Hamilton	8	10	18	16	12	19	15	17	18	13	6·1	7·8
Oatlands	26	24	30	25	25	23	30	28	27	25	8·6	8·9
Ross	4	4	3	3	2	3	2	2	3	4	5·7	3·8
Total Mid. Division	53	66	86	86	80	83	79	75	86	76	8·5	8·8
Brighton	11	11	19	19	22	17	15	15	12	19	9·9	8·8
Clarence	21	17	39	27	19	34	35	41	28	35	9·4	9·0
Glamorgan	3	3	9	5	7	9	5	4	10	5	6·4	8·5
Green Ponds	11	5	8	9	12	13	5	8	9	9	8·1	8 0
Richmond	8	12	10	16	13	17	18	13	20	11	6·2	8·2
Sorell	18	16	28	15	26	19	24	19	18	20	9·6	9·9
Spring Bay	2	1	5	4	2	8	10	10	4	8	6·7	6·1
Total S.E. Division	74	65	118	95	101	117	112	110	101	107	8·5	8·7
Bruny	6	4	1	3	7	6	1	4	2	3	4·6	5·3
Esperance	15	21	24	26	22	26	24	17	26	22	7·0	7·2
Huon	18	17	30	34	44	25	37	23	23	32	8·0	7·7
Kingborough	13	20	27	34	26	30	26	27	29	30	8·2	8·0
New Norfolk	55	91	95	81	79	82	86	88	83	84	13·4	13·0
Port Cygnet	14	31	17	22	19	23	21	26	13	17	6·6	7·4
Tasman	5	7	5	12	14	10	13	8	3	11	7·3	6·4
Total S. Division	126	191	199	212	211	202	208	193	179	199	9·1	9·0
Gormanston	15	16	12	12	2	8	3	6	3	4	5·2	5·5
Queenstown	37	44	26	37	22	24	36	42	28	23	8·3	10·8
Strahan	5	5	8	4	7	4	5	4	8	5	7·1	7·3
Waratah	14	17	14	19	13	11	11	10	11	17	11·6	8·5
Zeehan	24	24	26	27	23	22	26	27	22	27	10·5	9·6
Total W. Division	95	106	86	99	67	69	81	89	72	76	9·2	9·1
Total Country Divisions	824	989	1064	1162	1064	1083	111	1040	972	1020	8·3	8·4
Total (affecting Population)	1802	2192	2036	2197	1997	2137	2123	1996	1912	2033	9·68	9·65
Death-rate per 1000	9·09	10·69	9·68	10·30	9·30	9·92	9·89	9·35	9·05	9·68	...	...

(a) Since 1920 Launceston includes the suburbs Mowbray, Newstead, and Sandhill, which are in the St. Leonards Municipality. Previous to 1920 all St. Leonards Municipality is included in Launceston.

NOTE.—Deaths at sea are not included in the above return

Deaths occurring in Hospital are ascribed to the District to which they properly belong.

EX-NUPTIAL BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS under One Year of Ex-Nuptial Children, 1927.

(Cases where Parents were not married at date of children's Births).

	Total Births.	Ex-Nuptial Births.			Ex-Nuptial Deaths under 1 Year.	Infantile Death rate per 1000 Births.	
		Males.	Females.	Total.		Ex-nuptial Children.	All Children.
Hobart	1099	27	24	51	5	98	71
Launceston	498	23	16	39	9	231	74
Other Districts	3236	83	73	156	10	64	44
Tasmania	4833	133	113	246	24	98	53

Births, Illegitimate Births, and Deaths of Illegitimate Infants are allocated to the district where they properly belong.

EX-NUPTIAL BIRTHS.

PERCENTAGE of Total Births: Decennial Summary.

	1927.	1926.	1925.	1924.	1923.	1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.	1918.	Average.
Hobart	4·6	4·9	5·4	6·0	5·4	5·6	6·9	7·1	7·6	8·0	6·2
Launceston	7·8	5·4	6·3	5·5	7·9	7·7	9·2	7·0	11·3	9·6	7·8
Other Districts	4·8	4·3	4·1	2·6	2·8	2·8	3·5	3·6	4·1	2·9	3·6
Tasmania	5·1	4·6	4·6	4·0	4·3	4·4	5·4	5·1	6·1	5·3	4·9
Commonwealth	4·7	4·7	4·6	4·6	4·6	4·5	4·8	4·8	5·3	5·2	4·8

NOTE.—Previous to 1925 Ex-Nuptial Births are shown in the district where they occurred. Since 1925 Ex-Nuptial Births are allocated to the district where they properly belong.

EX-NUPTIAL DEATHS, 1927.

CAUSES of Death: Ex-Nuptial Children, 1927. *(Under 1 year.)*

Cause.	Number.				Rate per 1000 Births	
	Hobart.	Launceston.	Other.	Total.	Ex-nuptial.	All Children.
Pneumonia	...	1	...	1	4	3
Diarrhœa and Enteritis	2	6	...	8	33	6
Congenital Malformations	...	...	1	1	4	4
Congenital Debility, &c.	...	...	2	2	8	5
Prematurity	3	2	6	11	45	18
Infanticide	...	...	1	1	4	·4
Total	5	9	10	24	98	53

BIRTHS.

Number of Births not affecting Population registered in each of the last 10 *years.*

STILL BIRTHS.

District.	1927.	1926.	1925.	1924.	1923.	1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.	1918.
Hobart	45	28	38	37	53	56	40	54	44	43
Launceston	16	14	23	23	25	37	20	34	27	21
Devonport	4	3	4	4	8	5	7	4	4	1
North-Western Division	41	38	45	34	30	45	44	45	36	31
North-Eastern ,,	14	17	12	21	16	13	11	6	7	15
North Midland ,,	19	6	5	11	7	8	8	4	...	2
Midland ,,	9	8	3	10	6	4	7	6	9	5
South-Eastern ,,	6	2	8	13	8	3	7	3	4	3
Southern ,,	17	12	10	20	8	8	9	11	6	13
Western ,,	5	10	6	6	8	8	17	13	6	8
Total	176	138	154	179	169	187	170	180	143	142
Percentage of Still Births to Births and Still Births combined	3·51	2·69	3·00	3·22	2·90	3·11	2·87	3·04	2·62	2·62

LEGITIMATION ACT.

Tasmania	22	19	28	26	33	33	27	22	21	15

BIRTHS AMENDMENT ACT.

Tasmania	1	...	2	...	3	3	2	...	5	...
Total Registrations not affecting Population	199	157	184	205	205	223	199	202	169	157

NOTE.—Previous to 1924 Still Births are shown in the District where they occurred. Since 1924 Still Births are allocated to the District where they properly belong.

ALL BIRTH REGISTRATIONS IN TASMANIA.

Registrations.		1927.	1926.	1925.	1924.	1923.	1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.	1918.
Births—Nuptial	Males	2382	2465	2549	2595	2768	2872	2786	2766	2542	2578
	Females	2205	2295	2428	2571	2648	2692	2661	2681	2442	2423
Births—Ex-nuptial†	Males	133	119	115	105	120	123	158	142	176	139
	Females	113	109	126	112	121	130	150	151	150	140
*Births—Still Births	Males	99	83	97	87	94	104	97	101	82	79
	Females	77	55	57	92	75	83	73	79	61	63
*Births—Under Legitimation Act		22	19	28	26	33	33	27	22	21	15
*Births—Under Births Amendment Act		1	...	2	...	3	3	2	...	5	...
Grand total		5032	5145	5402	5588	5862	6040	5954	5942	5479	5437

* Not affecting population. † Does not include cases where the parents marry between the birth and the registration.

DEATHS.

All Death Registrations in Tasmania.

		1927.	1926.	1925.	1924.	1923	1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.	1918.
Deaths—Within Tasmania	Males	1074	1040	1081	1177	1140	1084	1166	1055	1175	959
	Females	959	872	915	946	997	913	1031	981	1017	843
*Deaths—On Foreign Ships at Sea	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
	Females	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
*Deaths—At War (Great European)	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2387
		2034	1912	1997	2123	2137	1997	2197	2036	2194	4189

NOTE.—Still-births are not registered as deaths. * Not affecting population.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS IN INSTITUTIONS.

Name of Institution.	No. of Inmates 31st Dec., 1927.	Births.		Deaths.		Belonging to Other Districts.			
						Births.		Deaths.	
		1927.	1926.	1927.	1926.	1927.	1926.	1927	1926.
Hospital, General, Hobart	152	7	5	196	191	5	1	63	82
„ Homœopathic, Hobart	13	...	1	21	26	...	1	9	7
„ Contagious Diseases, Hobart	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...
„ Infectious Diseases, Hobart	3	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
„ Alexandra, Hobart	16	376	302	9	14	161	140	...	2
Private Hospitals, Hobart	45	19	21	49	53	6	6	9	11
Infirmary, New Town	233	...	1	33	42	...	...	...	...
Consumptive Sanatorium, New Town	45	...	...	37	28	...	...	...	...
Home (Salv. Army), Hobart	*n*	35	33	...	...	16	21	...	...
Nursing Homes, Hobart	*n*	391	426	5	...	182	201	3	...
Hospital, General, Launceston	124	5	4	177	138	3	...	73	63
„ Homœopathic, Launceston	4	...	...	6	7	...	...	...	1
„ Queen Victoria, Launceston	5	206	159	9	12	93	80	6	3
Home for Invalids, Launceston	31	...	...	8	8	...	...	...	...
Private Hospitals, Launceston	*n*	12	15	24	20	6	2	6	5
Nursing Homes, Launceston	*n*	253	316	2	...	137	153	2	...
Devon Hospital, Latrobe	59	135	124	52	58	12	9	8	9
Lyell Hospital, Queenstown	23	26	23	10	18	...	...	...	...
Mental Diseases, New Norfolk	615	...	...	34	44	...	...	...	...
Total	*n*	1465	1430	672	661	621	614	179	183

n No record.

DEATHS.

AGES at Death in Chief Towns and Divisions, 1927.

DISTRICTS.	Under 1 Year.	1 to 4 Years.	5 to 19 Years.	20 to 44 Years.	45 to 64 Years.	65 Years and over.	Age not specified.	Total Number of Deaths.
Hobart and Glenorchy	78	17	30	96	126	280	...	627
Launceston	37	12	12	44	83	135	...	323
Devonport	4	2	...	14	7	36	...	63
Total Urban Districts	119	31	42	154	216	451	...	1013
North-Western Division	40	12	13	55	59	120	...	299
North-Eastern Division	23	5	12	19	34	66	...	159
North-Midland Division	7	2	4	9	29	53	...	104
Midland Division	14	6	4	9	19	24	..	76
South-Eastern Division	11	8	2	15	25	46	...	107
Southern Division	24	11	11	35	45	73	...	199
Western Division	18	...	1	14	20	23	...	76
Total Rural Divisions	137	44	47	156	231	405	...	1020
Tasmania	256	75	89	310	447	856	...	2033

PERCENTAGE of Deaths at each Age-Group to Total Deaths for each Division

DISTRICTS.	Under 1 Year.	1 to 4 Years.	5 to 19 Years.	20 to 44 Years.	45 to 64 Years.	65 Years and over.	Age not specified.	Total.
Hobart and Glenorchy	12·4	2·7	4·8	15·3	20·1	44·7	...	100·0
Launceston	11·5	3·7	3·7	13·6	25·7	41·8	...	100·0
Devonport	6·4	3·2	...	22·2	11·1	57·1	...	100·0
Total Urban Districts	11·7	3·1	4·2	15·2	21·3	44·5	...	100·0
North-Western Division	13·4	4·0	4·4	18·4	19·7	40·1	...	100·0
North-Eastern Division	14·5	3·1	7·5	12·0	21·4	41·5	...	100·0
North-Midland Division	6·7	1·9	3·8	8·7	27·9	51·0	...	100·0
Midland Division	18·4	7·9	5·3	11·8	25·0	31·6	...	100·0
South-Eastern Division	10·3	7·5	1·9	14·0	23·3	43·0	...	100·0
Southern Division	12·1	5·5	5·5	17·6	22·6	36·7	...	100·0
Western Division	23·7	...	1·3	18·4	26·3	30·3	...	100·0
Total Rural Divisions	13·4	4·3	4·6	15·3	22·7	39·7	...	100·0
Tasmania	12·6	3·7	4·4	15·2	22·0	42·1	...	100·0

DEATHS REGISTERED DURING EACH MONTH OF 1927 IN AGE GROUPS

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total Year.	Per Cent. to Total.
Under 1 month	14	11	11	11	9	19	12	22	13	10	19	17	168	8·2
1 month and under 3 months	2	3	2	3	5	3	2	1	1	2	6	4	34	1·7
3 months and under 6 months	4	5	2	4	...	1	4	5	2	1	3	1	32	1·6
6 „ 12 „	3	2	2	...	3	3	5	...	...	2	2	...	22	1·1
Total under 1 year	23	21	17	18	17	26	23	28	16	15	30	22	256	12·6
1 year and under 2 years	7	3	1	3	1	1	3	6	3	1	1	2	32	1·6
2 years and under 5 years	3	6	3	3	3	4	4	5	3	7	1	1	43	2·1
Total 1 year and under 5 years	10	9	4	6	4	5	7	11	6	8	2	3	75	3·7
5 years and under 10 years	3	1	1	1	1	4	3	...	1	1	2	2	20	1·0
10 „ 20 „	5	...	10	6	2	9	5	5	8	6	8	5	69	3·4
20 „ 30 „	9	4	6	11	7	10	12	8	20	10	19	4	120	5·9
30 „ 40 „	6	4	9	9	9	9	15	10	11	9	6	15	112	5·5
40 „ 50 „	15	10	16	11	13	9	9	14	12	13	16	23	161	7·9
50 „ 60 „	18	8	16	17	19	18	18	25	23	13	15	20	210	10·3
60 „ 70 „	35	28	30	24	29	24	39	19	33	29	28	31	349	17·2
Total 5 years and under 70 years.	91	55	88	79	80	83	101	81	108	81	94	100	1041	51·2
70 years and under 80 years	24	20	27	31	50	42	38	47	31	33	26	29	398	19·6
80 „ 90 „	14	15	22	13	16	24	12	30	19	14	22	18	219	10·8
90 „ 100 „	4	2	5	2	4	7	5	1	2	5	4	1	42	2·0
100 years and over	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	2	·1
Total 70 years and over	42	37	54	46	70	73	55	79	52	52	53	48	661	32·5
Grand Total	166	122	163	149	171	187	186	199	182	156	179	173	2033	100·0
Per cent. to total Persons	8·2	6·0	8·0	7·3	8·4	9·2	9·1	9·8	9·0	7·7	8·8	8·5	100·0	...
Percentage of Deaths under Age Groups to Total Number of Persons dying during each Month—														
Under 1 year	13·9	17·2	10·4	12·1	10·0	13·9	12·4	14·1	8·8	9·6	16·8	12·7	12·6	...
1 year and under 5 years	6·0	7·4	2·5	4·0	2·3	2·7	3·7	5·5	3·3	5·1	1·1	1·7	3·7	...
5 years and under 70 years	54·8	45·1	54·0	53·0	46·8	44·4	54·3	40·7	59·3	52·0	52·5	57·8	51·2	...
70 years and over	25·3	30·3	33·1	30·9	40·9	39·0	29·6	39·7	28·6	33·3	29·6	27·8	32·5	...
Total	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	...

MALE DEATHS PER 100 FEMALE DEATHS IN AGE GROUPS AND MALE BIRTHS PER 100 FEMALE BIRTHS FOR LAST TEN YEARS.

Ages.	1927.	1926.	1925.	1924	1923.	1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.	1918
Ages of Deaths—										
Under 1 year	144	125	130	129	136	149	129	113	116	143
1 year and under 5 years	114	103	85	170	121	138	109	113	126	117
5 years and under 20 years	134	128	154	100	131	134	89	97	124	133
20 „ 45 „	81	92	92	107	81	98	103	90	109	84
45 „ 65 „	111	142	155	151	160	131	132	122	136	132
Over 65 years	115	119	110	115	97	106	103	107	103	102
All Deaths	112	119	118	124	114	119	113	108	116	114
Births	108	107	104	101	104	106	105	103	105	106

DEATHS IN AGE GROUPS—DECENNIAL RETURN.

NUMBERS, AVERAGES, AND PERCENTAGES.

PARTICULARS. Year / Mean Population	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.	Average of Decade.
	198,193	204,959	210,230	213,274	214,777	215,327	214,687	213,469	211,216	210,000	210,613
Under 1 year of age	321	343	374	451	324	326	296	287	232	256	321
1 year of age and under 2	37	46	38	65	30	24	48	28	34	32	38
2 years of age and under 3	22	26	19	18	24	15	28	26	11	21	21
3 " " 4	11	18	9	17	11	13	19	10	9	11	13
4 " " 5	8	16	15	21	16	10	13	10	7	11	13
Total under 5 years of age	399	449	455	572	405	388	404	361	293	331	406
5 years of age and under 10	40	46	47	46	66	48	43	34	32	20	42
10 " " 20	72	95	97	90	84	95	89	88	75	69	85
20 " " 30	94	166	133	141	130	124	126	114	122	120	127
30 " " 40	115	173	137	146	149	138	120	148	117	112	136
40 " " 50	130	191	126	159	156	151	149	153	142	161	152
50 " " 60	205	269	210	238	175	234	224	196	186	210	215
60 " " 65	143	140	160	146	145	194	189	146	146	154	156
Total 5 years of age and under 65	799	1080	910	966	905	984	940	879	820	846	913
65 years of age and under 70	136	147	141	172	174	191	181	203	192	195	173
70 " " 80	259	297	310	281	285	295	320	326	368	398	314
80 " " 90	189	177	188	174	193	240	235	193	204	219	201
90 " " 100	18	38	30	28	30	36	40	31	35	42	33
100 " " upwards	1	3	2	2	5	3	2	3	...	2	2
Total 65 years of age and upwards	603	662	671	657	687	765	778	756	799	856	723
Age not known	1	1	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
GRAND TOTAL FOR ALL AGES	1802	2192	2036	2197	1997	2137	2123	1996	1912	2033	2043
Shipping (foreign ships) not included in the above, &c.	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
Percentage of Deaths to the Total Number of Deaths for each particular year or period—											
Under 1 year of age	17·81	15·3	18·37	20·53	16·22	15·26	13·94	14·38	12·13	12·59	15·71
Under 5 years of age	22·14	20·48	22·35	26·04	20·28	18·16	19·03	18·08	15·32	16·28	19·87
5 years of age and under 65	44·34	49·27	44·69	43·97	45·32	46·05	44·28	44·04	42·89	41·61	44·69
65 years of age and upwards	33·46	30·20	32·96	29·90	34·40	35·79	36·65	37·88	41·79	42·11	35·39
Unspecified	·06	·05	...	·09	...	...	·04	...	...	...	·05
All ages	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00
Death-rate per 1000 of Mean Population of each year	9·09	10·69	9·69	10·30	9·30	9·92	9·89	9·35	9·05	9·68	9·70

All Deaths occurring at sea and registered in Tasmania are included in the above return.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN TASMANIA, 1927—CAUSES AND AGES.

Causes of Death (and Classification Number).	Total of all Ages.			Under 1 Year.	1 Year and under 5 Years.	5 Years and under 20 Years.	20 Years and under 45 Years.	45 Years and under 65 Years.	65 Years and Over
	M.	F.	Persons.						
I.—EPIDEMIC, ENDEMIC, & INFECTIOUS DISEASES.									
1. Typhoid Fever	4	5	9	...	...	2	2	2	3
2. Typhus Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Recurrent Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Malta Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Malaria	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Smallpox	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Measles	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Scarlatina	1	1	2	...	...	1	1	...	...
9. Whooping Cough	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10(*a*). Diphtheria	5	5	10	1	5	4	...	...	...
10(*b*). Croup	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11(*a*). Influenza with Pneumonic Complications	4	3	7	1	...	...	1	2	3
11(*b*). Influenza, other	3	3	6	1	...	...	1	1	3
12. Miliary Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13. Mumps	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Asiatic Cholera	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15. Cholera Nostras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16. Dysentery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17. Plague	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18. Yellow Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19. Spirochetal Hæmorrhagic Jaundice	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20. Leprosy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21. Erysipelas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22. Acute Poliomyelitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23. Lethargic Encephalitis	2	...	2	...	...	...	1	1	...
24. Epidemic Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25. Other Endemic and Epidemic Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
26. Glanders	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27. Anthrax	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28. Rabies	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29. Tetanus	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...
30. Mycoses	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31. Tuberculosis of the Respiratory System	52	68	120	...	1	9	66	32	12
32. Tuberculosis of Meninges & Nervous System	8	5	13	...	5	4	4	...	...
33. Tuberculosis of Intestines and Peritoneum	...	2	2	...	...	1	1	...	...
34. Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column	1	4	5	...	...	...	2	2	1
35. Tuberculosis of the Joints	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
36. Tuberculosis of other Organs	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
37(*a*). Acute Disseminated Tuberculosis	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	1	...
37(*b*). Chronic Disseminated Tuberculosis	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
38. Syphilis*	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
39. Soft Chancre	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
40. Gonococcus Infection	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
41. Purulent Infection and Septicæmia	1	5	6	...	...	...	4	1	1
42. Other Infectious Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Class I.	85	104	189	3	11	22	87	43	23
II.—GENERAL DISEASES NOT INCLUDED ABOVE.									
43. Cancer of the Buccal Cavity	9	1	10	...	...	...	2	3	5
44. Cancer of Stomach and Liver	52	34	86	...	...	...	3	35	48
45. Cancer of Peritoneum, Intestines, and Rectum	18	16	34	...	...	...	3	9	22
46. Cancer of Female Genital Organs	...	21	21	...	...	1	3	16	1
47. Cancer of the Breast	...	23	23	...	...	...	3	13	7
48. Cancer of the Skin	4	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	5
49. Cancer of other Organs, or not specified	25	12	37	1	1	2	4	10	19
50. Benign Tumours (Female Genital Organs excepted)	4	2	6	...	...	...	2	3	1
51. Acute Rheumatic Fever	7	5	12	...	...	4	3	3	2
52. Chronic Rheumatism and Gout	4	2	6	...	...	...	3	2	1
53. Scurvy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
54. Pellagra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
55. Beri-beri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
56. Rickets	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
57. Diabetes Mellitus	16	23	39	...	1	1	4	16	17

* 1 Tertiary.

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	M.	F.	Persons.						
58. Anæmia, Chlorosis	5	11	16	...	...	...	...	9	7
59. Diseases of the Pituitary Gland	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
60(*a*). Exophthalmic Goitre	2	8	10	...	...	...	4	5	1
60(*b*). Other Diseases of Thyroid Gland ...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
61. Diseases of the Parathyroid Glands ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
62. Diseases of the Thymus Gland	2	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	...
63. Diseases of the Adrenals	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
64. Diseases of the Spleen	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
65(*a*). Leucæmia	1	1	2	...	...	1	1	...	...
65(*b*). Hodgkin's Disease	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	2	1
66. Alcoholism	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	1
67(*a*). Chronic Lead Poisoning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
67(*b*). Other Chronic Poisonings by Mineral Substances	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
68. Chronic Poisoning by Organic Substances...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
69. Other General Diseases	1	1	2	1	...	1	...	...	...
Total Class II.	156	163	319	3	2	11	37	128	138
III.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM.									
70. Encephalitis	1	2	3	...	...	1	2	...	...
71(*a*). Simple Meningitis	3	3	6	1	3	1	1	...	...
71(*b*). Non-epidemic Cerebro-spinal Meningitis	3	...	3	...	...	3	...	...	...
72. Locomotor Ataxia	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
73. Other Diseases of the Spinal Cord ...	3	2	5	...	1	1	...	1	2
74(*a*). Cerebral Hæmorrhage	42	54	96	...	...	...	2	25	69
74(*b*). Cerebral Embolism and Thrombosis ...	6	10	16	...	1	...	1	5	9
75. Paralysis without Specified Cause	6	12	18	...	...	...	...	6	12
76. General Paralysis of the Insane	2	...	2	...	...	...	1	1	...
77. Other Forms of Mental Alienation	2	5	7	...	...	...	2	5	...
78. Epilepsy	6	5	11	...	2	2	4	2	1
79. Convulsions (non-puerperal) (+ 5 years) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
80. Infantile Convulsions (— 5 years)... ...	4	3	7	7	...	...	...	...	...
81. Chorea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
82. Neuralgia and Neuritis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
83. Softening of the Brain	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	1
84. Other Diseases of the Nervous System ...	4	8	12	...	...	1	3	2	6
85. Diseases of the Eyes and Adnexa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
86. Diseases of the Ear and the Mastoid Process	2	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	...
Total Class III.	85	106	191	8	7	10	17	49	100
IV.—DISEASES OF CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.									
87. Pericarditis	3	1	4	...	...	1	2	1	...
88. Endocarditis and Acute Myocarditis ...	3	6	9	...	2	2	5	...	...
89. Angina Pectoris	19	6	25	...	...	...	1	9	15
90. Other Diseases of the Heart	142	122	264	...	...	...	13	69	182
91(*a*). Aneurism	4	1	5	...	...	...	...	1	4
91(*b*). Arteriosclerosis	17	9	26	...	...	...	...	4	22
91(*c*). Other Diseases of the Arteries ...	2	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	1
92. Embolism and Thrombosis	6	...	6	...	...	...	1	2	3
93. Diseases of the Veins	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
94. Diseases of the Lymphatic System ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
95. Hæmorrhage without Specified Cause ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
96. Other Diseases of the Circulatory System ...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	1	1
Total Class IV.	197	147	344	...	2	3	24	87	228
V.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.									
97. Diseases of the Nasal Fossæ and their Adnexa	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
98. Diseases of the Larynx	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
99(*a*). Acute Bronchitis	5	2	7	...	2	...	1	1	3
99(*b*). Chronic Bronchitis	7	9	16	...	1	...	...	7	8
99(*c*). Bronchitis (unspecified, — 5 years) ...	4	1	5	5	...	...	...	...	...
99(*d*). Bronchitis (unspecified, + 5 years) ...	3	9	12	...	...	...	...	...	12
100(*a*). Broncho-Pneumonia	22	9	31	11	3	2	5	2	8
100(*b*). Capillary Bronchitis	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...
101(*a*). Lobar Pneumonia	9	6	15	1	1	1	5	2	5
101(*b*). Other Pneumonia	54	41	95	13	9	5	15	22	31
102. Pleurisy	3	2	5	...	...	...	1	1	3

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	M.	F.	Persons.						
103. Congestion and Hæmorrhage of Lungs ...	5	4	9	...	...	...	2	1	6
104. Gangrene of the Lungs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
105. Asthma	2	5	7	...	...	...	1	3	3
106. Pulmonary Emphysema...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
107(*a*). Chronic Interstitial Pneumonia† ...	6	...	6	...	...	...	...	5	1
107(*o*). Other Diseases of Respiratory System...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	1
Total Class V.	124	89	213	30	16	9	31	45	82
VI.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.									
108. Diseases of Mouth and Adnexa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
109. Diseases of the Pharynx and Tonsils ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
110. Diseases of the Œsophagus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
111(*a*). Ulcer of Stomach	3	1	4	...	...	...	3	...	1
111(*b*). Ulcer of Duodenum	5	...	5	...	...	...	1	2	2
112. Other Diseases of the Stomach	5	4	9	3	1	1	1	2	1
113. Diarrhœa and Enteritis (— 2 years) ...	27	10	37	31	6	...	...	...	...
114. Diarrhœa and Enteritis (+ 2 years) ...	6	8	14	...	8	...	...	2	4
115. Ankylostomiasis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
116. Intestinal Parasites	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
117. Appendicitis and Typhlitis	7	3	10	...	2	2	4	2	...
118(*a*). Hernia	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	1
118(*b*). Intestinal Obstruction	12	10	22	3	2	1	3	4	9
119. Diseases of the Intestines	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
120 Acute Yellow Atrophy of Liver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
121. Hydatid Tumour of the Liver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
122(*a*.) Alcoholic Cirrhosis of the Liver ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
122(*b*). Non-alcoholic Cirrhosis of Liver ...	2	1	3	...	...	...	1	2	...
123. Biliary Calculi	1	7	8	...	...	1	...	4	3
124. Other Diseases of the Liver	4	9	13	...	1	...	4	3	5
125. Diseases of the Pancreas	2	1	3	1	...	...	2	...	...
126. Peritonitis without Specified Cause ...	3	4	7	...	1	1	1	2	2
127. Other Diseases of the Digestive System ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Class VI.	79	59	138	38	21	6	20	25	28
VII.—NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ITS ADNEXA.									
128. Acute Nephritis	5	3	8	3	1	1	1	2	...
129. Chronic Nephritis	47	30	77	...	...	...	11	23	43
130. Chyluria	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
131. Other Diseases of the Kidneys	3	5	8	...	1	...	2	4	1
132. Calculi of the Urinary Passages	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
133. Diseases of the Bladder	5	...	5	...	...	...	...	1	4
134. Diseases of the Urethra...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
135. Diseases of the Prostate...	14	...	14	..	...	...	1	2	11
136. Non-venereal Diseases of Male Genital Organs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
137. Cysts and Tumours of the Ovary... ...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
138. Salpingitis and Pelvic Abscess	...	3	3	...	...	...	2	1	...
139. Uterine Tumour	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
140. Uterine Hæmorrhage	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	..
141. Other Diseases of Female Genital Organs...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	..
142. Non-puerperal Diseases of Breast	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Total Class VII.	75	46	121	3	2	1	20	33	62
VIII.—PUERPERAL CONDITION.									
143(*a*). Abortion	...	2	2	...	...	...	2	...	...
143(*b*). Ectopic Gestation	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
143(*c*). Other Accidents of Pregnancy... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
144. Puerperal Hæmorrhage	...	5	5	...	...	...	5	...	...
145. Other Accidents of Labour	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
146. Puerperal Septicæmia	...	10	10	...	...	...	10	...	...
147. Puerperal Phlegmasia (Alba Dolens) ...	...	5	5	...	...	...	5	...	...
148 Puerperal Albuminuria and Convulsions ...	...	4	4	...	...	...	4	...	...
149 Following Childbirth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
150 Puerperal Diseases of the Breast	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Class VIII.	...	27	27	...	...	...	27	.	...

† Includes 3 Miners' Phthisis—Launceston 1, Zeehan 2.

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IX.—DISEASES OF SKIN AND CELLULAR TISSUE.									
151. Gangrene	3	3	6	...	...	1	1	1	3
152. Furuncle	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...
153. Acute Abscess	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
154. Other Diseases of Skin and Adnexa	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	1	...
Total Class IX.	7	4	11	...	...	1	5	2	3
X.—DISEASES OF THE BONES.									
155. Non-Tuberculous Diseases of Bones	3	...	3	...	1	2	...	...	...
156. Diseases of the Joints	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
157. Amputations	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
158. Other Diseases of Organs of Locomotion	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Class X.	3	...	3	...	1	2	...	...	...
XI.—MALFORMATIONS.									
159. Congenital Malformations (Total Class XI.)	9	13	22	17	3	2	...	...	...
XII.—EARLY INFANCY.									
160. Congenital Debility	19	7	26	26	...	...	...	...	...
161*a*. Premature Birth	51	37	88	88	...	...	...	...	..
161*b*. Injury at Birth	6	7	13	13	...	...	...	...	...
162. Other Diseases of Early Infancy	10	12	22	22	...	...	...	...	...
163. Lack of Care	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Class XII.	86	63	149	149	...	...	...	...	...
XIII.—OLD AGE.									
164. Senility (Total Class XIII)	74	97	171	...	...	...	...	3	168
XIV.—EXTERNAL CAUSES.									
165 Suicide by Solid or Liquid Poisons	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
166. Suicide by Corrosive Substances	5	3	8	...	...	1	5	...	2
167. Suicide by Poisonous Gas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
168. Suicide by Hanging or Strangulation	4	...	4	...	...	1	...	3	...
169. Suicide by Drowning	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
170. Suicide by Firearms	8	...	8	...	...	...	3	3	2
171. Suicide by Cutting or Piercing Instruments	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
172. Suicide by Jumping from High Places	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
173. Suicide by Crushing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
174. Other Suicide	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
175. Poisoning by Food	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
176. Venomous Bites and Stings	1	...	1	...	...	1	..	...	...
177. Other Acute Poisonings	2	1	3	...	1	...	1	...	1
178. Conflagration	3	2	5	1	2	...	...	1	1
179. Burns	6	3	9	...	4	...	1	1	3
180. Accidental Mechanical Suffocation	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
181. Accidental Absorbtion Irrespirable Gas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
182. Accidental Drowning	18	2	20	...	...	8	11	1	...
183. Traumatism by Firearms	2	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...
184. Traumatism by Cutting or Piercing Instruments	2	...	2	1	...	...	1	...	...
185. Traumatism by Fall	8	5	13	...	...	2	2	3	6
186. Traumatism in Mines or Quarries	3	...	3	...	...	1	1	1	...
187. Traumatism by Machines	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	..	..
188 { Motor Accidents	7	4	11	...	1	3	5	2	...
188 { Traumatism by Other Crushings	8	1	9	...	...	2	3	3	1
189. Injuries by Animals	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
190. Wounds of War	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
191. Civil Execution by Belligerent Armies	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
192. Starvation, Thirst, Fatigue	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
193. Excessive Cold	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
194 Excessive Heat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

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195. Lightning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
196. Other Accidental Electrical Shocks ...	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...
197. Homicide by Firearms	1	...	1	...	.	...	...	...	1
198. Homicide by Cutting or Piercing Instruments	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
199. Homicide by Other Means	1	1	2	...	...	...	2	...	...
200. Infanticide	...	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...
201. Fractures (cause not specified)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
202. Other External Violence (cause specified)...	1	1	2	...	...	1	...	1	...
203. Other External Violence (cause not specified)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Class XIV.	85	29	114	5	9	22	40	20	18
XV.—ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.									
204. Sudden Death	3	3	6	...	...	...	1	3	2
205*a*. Ill-defined	5	9	14	...	1	...	...	9	4
205*b*. Not specified or unknown	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
Total Class XV.	9	12	21	...	1	...	2	12	6
Grand Total	1074	959	2033	256	75	89	310	447	856

BIRTHS BY MONTHS.

Percentage of Births in each Month to Total Births in each of the last Ten Years.

	1927.	1926.	1925.	1924.	1923.	1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.	1918.	Average. 1918-27
January	7·8	8·2	8·3	9·0	8·4	7·9	8·4	7·2	8·4	9·5	8·3
February	7·1	7·7	8·4	7·3	8·3	8·0	7·9	7·5	7·7	6·9	7·7
March	8·1	8·4	7·9	7·6	7·2	8·5	8·4	9·4	7·9	8·4	8·2
April	7·2	8·6	7·9	6·8	7·5	7·5	7·7	8·2	8·2	8·8	7·8
May	8·8	8·0	7·8	8·1	8·8	8·7	8·2	7·1	8·0	8·6	8·2
June	8·4	8·4	8·0	8·1	8·3	8·1	8·0	7·7	6·9	8·0	8·0
July.....	8·0	8·6	8·2	9·3	9·1	8·1	8·7	8·1	8·6	8·3	8·5
August	9·4	8·7	8·7	8·6	9·3	8·7	9·4	8·6	8·3	9·1	8·9
September	8·7	8·6	9·0	9·9	8·8	8·8	9·1	9·6	9·7	8·5	9·1
October	8·7	8·4	9·2	9·9	8·3	10·0	8·9	9·4	9·4	9·0	9·1
November	9·6	8·4	8·3	7·3	8·4	8·3	8·3	9·3	8·2	7·5	8·4
December	8·2	8·0	8·3	8·1	7·6	7·4	7·0	7·9	8·7	7·4	7·8
Total	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0

DEATHS BY MONTHS.

Percentage of Deaths in each Month to Total Deaths in each of the last Ten Years.

	1927.	1926.	1925.	1924.	1923.	1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.	1918.	Average. 1918-27
January	8·2	8·6	7·2	7·2	7·3	6·9	8·2	8·0	7·1	7·3	7·6
February	6·0	6·7	7·3	7·4	5·7	7·9	8·2	6·9	5·8	7·7	7·0
March	8·0	7·8	8·2	7·1	7·3	9·2	10·4	7·1	6·7	8·4	8·0
April	7·3	7·3	7·5	7·1	6·3	7·4	6·8	7·5	7·4	9·0	7·4
May	8·4	8·7	6·8	7·8	10·2	8·5	8·0	8·2	6·7	8·3	8·2
June	9·2	9·9	8·4	9·3	9·1	9·0	7·9	8·6	6·6	8·2	8·6
July	9·1	10·0	9·0	10·3	10·2	8·1	8·1	9·3	7·8	7·7	8·9
August	9·8	9·1	9·8	9·1	9·7	10·4	9·6	9·1	13·4	9·0	9·9
September.....	9·0	8·3	8·7	10·3	9·2	8·4	10·0	9·0	14·5	7·6	9·5
October	7·7	7·4	9·5	9·4	8·8	7·7	7·8	8·9	7·7	9·3	8·4
November	8·8	8·2	8·6	7·8	8·2	9·2	7·0	7·3	8·2	10·3	8·4
December	8·5	8·0	9·0	7·2	8·0	7·3	8·0	10·1	8·1	7·2	8·1
Total	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0

INFANT DEATHS AND SPECIFIC CAUSES.

TABLE showing Principal Causes of Deaths of Children under One Year of Age in Tasmania in each Year from 1880 *to* 1899.

Causes of Death.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.
7. Measles	...	15	...	...	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	4	...	...	...	13	4
8. Scarlet Fever	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	1
9. Whooping Cough	35	3	...	18	6	13	20	9	...	7	21	5	2	29	4	17	4	...	3	40
10. Diphtheria and Croup	6	6	6	4	7	2	3	2	6	...	1	4	7	4	1	...	1	...	...	...
Other Epidemic Diseases	9	3	4	7	7	9	2	5	5	4	9	13	8	13	18	6	16	11	6	16
29. Tetanus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	3	2	...	1	...	...	1	1
32. Tubercular Meningitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	6	2	6	5	5	4	3	4	4	3	6
38. Syphilis	1	5	6	2	4	1	...	2	1	4	3	3	3	4	4	1	6	5	2	3
80. Convulsions	81	72	93	119	94	116	107	80	88	81	101	82	67	90	59	58	55	43	47	48
99. Bronchitis	32	22	19	35	30	35	23	10	32	29	49	30	23	50	32	17	20	26	20	44
100 (*a*). Broncho-pneumonia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
101. Pneumonia	24	15	23	21	20	5	13	12	10	9	10	10	11	29	14	10	18	20	18	31
113. Diarrhœa and Enteritis	63	50	47	70	40	85	68	91	65	75	78	57	100	56	75	67	70	80	135	79
Other Diseases of Stomach	2	...	2	1	1	1	4	2	3	5	3	6	3	1	5	6	6	8	5	...
159. Congenital Malformations	1	1	...	...	4	2	3	2	4	2	2	2	2	2	5	3	3	6	9	12
160-161. Congenital Debility, &c.	95	120	131	140	149	128	142	172	162	197	148	170	185	173	135	120	139	148	185	188
162. Other Dis. Early Infancy	22	20	22	20	20	26	23	26	27	26	13	8	11	13	9	9	11	3	4	12
Other Diseases	49	73	65	90	72	94	77	58	48	60	68	74	61	67	69	73	57	56	79	54
TOTAL	420	405	419	528	457	522	485	478	460	506	508	470	492	546	438	391	410	411	531	543
Mortality (Infantile) Rate	112	103	104	124	100	113	105	101	96	106	106	95	99	105	90	82	89	88	116	116
Total Births	3739	3918	4043	4259	4578	4637	4627	4736	4777	4757	4813	4971	4965	5216	4852	4790	4603	4684	4580	4674

TABLE showing the Principal Causes of Deaths of Children Under One Year of Age in Tasmania in each Year from 1899 *to* 1919.

Causes of Death.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	1912.	1913.	1914	1915	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.
7. Measles	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	1	1	2	...	1	...	1	...	...
8. Scarlet Fever	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Whooping Cough	14	2	17	50	22	...	1	37	14	1	35	8	2	19	7	16	17	3	6	7
10. Diphtheria and Croup	2	1	1	2	1	3	...	1	1	2	2	...	2	4	2	1	3	...	...	...
Other Epidemic Diseases	6	12	8	3	9	1	7	2	2	1	1	13	4	3	2	4	5	1	1	...
29. Tetanus	...	...	1	...	...	1	3	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	.	2	...	...
32. Tubercular Meningitis	3	6	4	5	4	3	4	5	4	1	6	2	3	1	1	6	7	5	...	2
38. Syphilis	1	5	2	4	5	3	4	4	5	5	3	2	...	7	3	8	2	3	15	1
80. Convulsions	41	36	39	27	39	54	36	30	30	25	22	19	25	20	20	11	11	15	5	18
99. Bronchitis	15	23	26	29	19	21	15	24	11	11	8	13	13	15	13	15	5	5	15	9
100 (*a*). Broncho-pneumonia	...	...	...	5	16	10	17	16	11	8	15	20	16	17	12	17	18	10	8	13
101. Pneumonia	11	14	25	17	4	17	17	20	10	21	18	23	11	18	9	17	22	8	25	9
113. Diarrhœa & Enteritis	69	96	42	117	99	55	119	56	115	49	168	58	59	46	119	61	111	48	48	37
Other Diseases of Stomach	3	6	...	3	6	4	9	2	2	1	7	5	3	4	4	7	1	7	4	7
159. Malformations	5	6	4	16	16	11	7	11	14	12	27	19	16	25	14	17	17	17	19	10
160-161. Congenital Debility, &c.	158	184	164	184	170	147	150	147	150	167	181	144	158	153	156	178	148	111	135	173
162. Diseases Early Infancy	2	7	...	19	17	24	13	10	8	1	9	6	15	13	26	20	19	16	14	21
Other Diseases	58	41	69	79	53	70	84	73	48	54	64	70	64	70	43	43	37	29	26	36
TOTAL	389	439	402	563	480	424	487	438	426	361	569	403	393	417	431	422	423	281	321	343
Mortality (Infantile) Rate	80	89	79	111	91	80	91	82	76	65	101·9	74·1	66·6	70·7	71·6	72·2	75·0	52·3	60·8	64·6
Total Births	4864	4930	5085	5080	5292	5256	5333	5291	5614	5506	5586	5437	5853	5886	6017	5845	5642	5376	5280	5310

INFANT DEATHS AND SPECIFIC CAUSES.

TABLE showing Principal Causes of Deaths of Children Under One Year of Age in Tasmania in 1920 to 1926 and each Decade since 1880.

Causes of Death.	Average Number.				1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924	1925.	1926.	1927.
	1880-9.	1890-9.	1900-9.	1910-19.								
7. Measles	2	3	—	1	2	—	—	1	1	—	—	—
8. Scarlet Fever	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
9. Whooping Cough	11	13	16	12	4	12	6	—	9	23	1	—
10. Diphtheria and Croup	4	2	1	1	1	1	—	1	2	1	1	1
Other Epidemic Diseases	5	12	5	3	2	9	4	2	2	1	7	2
29. Tetanus	—	1	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
32. Tubercular Meningitis	2	4	4	3	2	1	3	3	—	1	2	—
38. Syphilis	3	3	4	4	6	7	4	6	6	3	1	—
80. Convulsions	93	65	36	17	14	16	11	9	9	7	5	7
99. Bronchitis	27	31	20	11	4	6	4	10	5	3	1	5
100*a*. Broncho-pneumonia	15	17	24	15	22	33	12	20	19	15	5	11
101. Pneumonia				16	22	27	20	23	24	20	13	14
113. Diarrhœa & Enteritis	65	80	81	75	73	113	37	35	16	29	30	31
Other Diseases of Stomach	2	4	4	5	5	4	4	5	1	1	—	3
159. Malformations	146	164	172	18	19	29	36	29	28	20	19	17
160-161. Congenital Debility, &c.				154	138	126	132	132	144	126	120	127
162. Other Dis. Early Infancy	23	9	10	16*	29	24	25	17	8	8	13	22
Other Diseases	69	66	63	48	31	41	26	33	22	29	14	16
TOTAL	468	474	441	400	374	451	324	326	296	287	232	256
Mortality (Infantile) Rate	106·2	98·5	84·4	71·2	65·2	78·4	55·7	57·6	55·0	55·0	46·5	53·0
Total Births	4407	4815	5225	5623	5740	5755	5817	5657	5383	5218	4988	4833

INFANT MORTALITY.

DEATH-RATE from Certain Specific Causes.

1920 to 1926 and each Decade since 1880.

Cause of Death.	Deaths under One Year per 1000 Births.											
	1880-89.	1890-99.	1900-09.	1910-19.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.
7. Measles	·48	·60	·06	·11	·34	—	—	·18	·19	—	—	—
8. Scarlet Fever,	·11	·08	·08	·02	—	·17	—	—	—	—	—	—
9. Whooping Cough	2·5	2·6	3·0	2·1	·7	2·1	1·0	—	1·67	4·41	·20	—
10. Diphtheria, Croup	·95	·37	·27	·25	·17	·17	—	·18	·37	·19	·20	·21
Other Epidemic Diseases	1·2	2·4	1·2	·6	·3	1·6	0·7	·4	·37	·19	1·40	·41
32. Tubercular Meningitis	*a*	·87	·75	·59	·34	·17	0·52	·53	—	·19	·40	—
38. Syphilis	·59	·71	·73	·78	1·05	1·22	0·69	1·06	1·11	·58	·20	—
100*a*. Broncho-Pneumonia	9·5	10·0	9·0	7·5	8·3	10·4	6·2	9·4	8·92	7·28	3·81	6·21
99, 101. Bronchitis, Pneumonia												
80. Convulsions	21·1	13·5	6·8	3·0	2·4	2·8	1·9	1·6	1·67	1·34	1·00	1·45
113. Diarrhœa and Enteritis	14·8	16·5	15·5	13·4	12.7	19·6	6·3	6·2	2·97	5·56	6·01	6·41
Other Stomach Diseases	·5	1·0	·7	·9	·9	·7	0·7	·9	·19	·19	—	·62
159. Malformations	33·0	34·0	33·0	30·6	27·4	26·9	28·9	28·5	31·95	27·98	27·87	29·79
160-161. Congenital Debility, &c.												
162. Other Dis. Early Infancy	5·3	1·9	1·9	2·8	5·1	4·2	4·3	3·0	1·49	1·53	2·61	4·55
All causes	106·19	98·45	84·40	71·18	16·16	78·36	55·70	57·63	54·99	55·00	46·51	52·97
80. Convulsions	36·0	30·0	22·3	16·4	15·2	22·4	8·2	7·8	4·6	6·9	7·0	7·9
113. Gastro-enteritis, Diarrhœa												

a Record incomplete.

NOTE.—The two tables above (and other similar tables), must be read with some caution on account of changes of classification that have taken place before 1910. Since 1910 the classification has been substantially uniform. In the last table, in order to allow for known changes, the classes 99, 100(*a*) and 101 are grouped together; as are 159, 160, and 161. For the same reason, but with less certainty, 80 and 113 are grouped together tentatively at the end of the table.

CAUSES OF DEATHS UNDER ONE YEAR REGISTERED IN EACH MONTH, 1927.

	Causes.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
7.	Measles	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9.	Whooping Cough	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11.	Influenza	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
38-40.	Syphilis and Gonorrhœa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Other General Diseases	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	...
71.	Simple Meningitis	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Other Diseases of Nervous System	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
80.	Convulsions	...	1	1	...	...	1	2	...	...	2	...	...
87-90.	Acute Endocarditis, Heart Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
92.	Embolism	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
94.	Lymphatic Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
99.	Acute Bronchitis	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	1	...	...	1
100*a*.	Broncho-Pneumonia	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	...	3	...
101.	Pneumonia	1	...	...	1	..	1	3	3	1	1	2	1
	Other Respiratory System	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
112.	Gastritis	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	..	...	...
113.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis	8	6	4	2	1	1	2	2	...	1	2	2
118.	Intestinal Obstruction and Hernia	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
119.	Internal Hæmorrhage	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Other Diseases of Digestive System	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Diseases of Kidneys	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
153.	Acute Abscess	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
154.	Diseases of the Skin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
155.	Diseases of the Bones	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
159.	Congenital Malformations	1	2	1	1	1	3	1	3	1	...	...	3
160-1.	Congenital Debility, &c.	10	8	9	8	9	11	8	13	8	10	19	14
162.	Other Causes peculiar to Infancy	2	2	1	1	2	4	2	2	4	...	1	1
163.	Want of Care	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
179.	Burns	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
180.	Overlaying, Asphyxia	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	Other External Causes	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	...
	Ill-defined Causes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL	23	21	17	18	17	26	23	28	16	15	30	22

CAUSES OF DEATHS UNDER ONE YEAR IN CITIES AND COUNTRY, 1927.

	Causes.	Hobart.	Launceston.	Country.	TOTAL.
7.	Measles	...	...	...	...
9.	Whooping Cough	...	...	...	...
11.	Influenza	...	...	2	2
38-40.	Syphilis and Gonorrhœa	...	...	...	...
	Other General Diseases	1	...	3	4
71.	Simple Meningitis	...	...	1	1
	Other Diseases of Nervous System	...	...	...	..
80.	Convulsions	1	1	5	7
87-90.	Acute Endocarditis, Heart Disease	...	...	...	...
92.	Embolism	...	...	...	...
94.	Lymphatic Disease	...	...	...	...
99.	Acute Bronchitis	2	...	3	5
100*a*.	Broncho-Pneumonia	6	...	5	11
101.	Pneumonia	3	2	9	14
	Other Respiratory System	...	...	...	...
112.	Gastritis	...	1	2	3
113.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis	12	12	7	31
118.	Intestinal Obstruction and Hernia	1	1	1	3
119.	Internal Hæmorrhage	...	...	...	...
	Other Diseases of Digestive System	1	...	...	1
	Disease of Kidneys	1	...	2	3
153.	Acute Abscess	...	...	...	...
154.	Diseases of the Skin	...	...	...	...
155.	Diseases of the Bones	...	...	...	...
159.	Congenital Malformations	5	2	10	17
160-1.	Congenital Debility, &c.	41	12	74	127
162.	Other Causes peculiar to Infancy	2	6	14	22
163.	Want of Care	...	...	...	...
179.	Burns	...	...	...	...
180.	Overlaying, Asphyxia	...	...	1	1
	Other External Causes	2	...	2	4
	Ill-defined Causes	...	..	...	...
	TOTAL	78	37	141	256

AGES AND CAUSES OF DEATH (UNDER 2 YEARS), 1927.

Causes of Death and Classification Number.	Total under Two Years.	Under One Month.	One Month and under Three Months.	Three Months and under Six Months.	Six Months and under One Year.	Total under One Year.	One Year and under Two Years.
10*a*. Diphtheria	2	1	...	...	...	1	1
11*a*. Influenza with Pneumonic Complications	1	...	...	...	1	1	...
11*b*. Influenza, Other	1	...	1	...	...	1	...
32. Tubercular Meningitis	2	...	...	...	...	...	2
49. Cancer	2	...	...	1	...	1	1
62. Diseases of the Thymus Gland	1	1	...	...	...	1	...
69. Other General Diseases	1	...	...	...	1	1	...
71*a*. Simple Meningitis	2	...	...	1	...	1	1
73. Other Diseases of Spinal Cord	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
78. Epilepsy	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
80. Convulsions	7	6	...	1	..	7	...
88. Endocarditis & Acute Myocarditis	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
99. Bronchitis	6	1	3	1	...	5	1
100*a*. Broncho-Pneumonia	12	...	5	4	2	11	1
101*a*. Lobar Pneumonia	1	1	...	...	...	1	...
101*b*. Other Pneumonia	20	1	5	2	5	13	7
112. Other Diseases of Stomach	4	...	1	1	1	3	1
113. Diarrhœa and Enteritis	37	3	8	15	5	31	6
118*b*. Intestinal Obstruction	3	...	...	...	3	3	...
125. Diseases of Pancreas	1	...	...	...	1	1	...
128. Acute Nephritis	3	1	...	2	...	3	...
131. Other Diseases of Kidneys	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
159. Malformations	19	13	2	...	2	17	2
160. Congenital Debility	26	20	3	2	1	26	...
161*a*. Prematurity	88	82	5	1	...	88	...
161*b*. Injury at Birth	13	13	...	...	...	13	...
162. Other Diseases of Early Infancy	22	22	...	...	...	22	...
177. Acute Poisoning	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
178. Conflagration	1	1	...	...	...	1	...
179. Burns	2	...	...	...	...	...	2
180. Overlaying, Asphyxia	1	...	...	1	...	1	...
184. Traumatism by Cutting or Piercing Instruments	1	1	...	...	..	1	...
189. Injuries by Animals	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
200. Infanticide	2	1	1	...	...	2	...
205. Ill-defined	1	...	...	...	...	..	1
TOTAL	288	168	34	32	22	256	32

STANDARDISED DEATH RATE in each State—1911, 1921, *and* 1927.

State.	Crude Death Rate.			Standardised Death Rate.		
	1911.	1921.	1927.	1911.	1921.	1927.
New South Wales	10·37	9·50	9·59	11·42	10·15	10·64
Victoria	11·45	10·52	9·71	11·65	10·69	10·02
Queensland	10·65	9·36	9·06	12·06	10·03	10·20
South Australia	9·82	10·02	8·98	10·27	10·26	9·30
Western Australia	10·19	10·43	8·81	12·24	11·51	10·71
Tasmania	10·13	10·30	9·68	10·60	10·60	10·43
Commonwealth	10·66	9·91	9·45	11·56	10·39	10·43

INFANT DIARRHŒA (BY MONTHS).

DEATHS under Two Years from Diarrhœa and Enteritis since 1900.

Year.	Total.		Month in which Death occurred.											
	Calender Year.	Year ended 30th June.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1900*	91	105	20	15	8	11	5	2	2	5	2	3	2	16
1901*	128	123	26	19	31	10	4	3	3	4	1	2	4	21
1902*	90	81	17	8	8	10	2	1	4	2	4	4	7	23
1903*	144	135	22	24	23	13	7	2	5	1	2	2	8	25
1904*	127	151	42	37	14	6	6	3	1	1	1	4	6	6
1905*	63	64	10	11	8	7	4	5	2	...	2	1	4	9
1906*	168	161	24	47	42	21	6	3	5	3	3	2	1	11
1907*	93	89	27	14	12	4	2	5	3	4	2	4	4	12
1908*	150	145	32	33	32	11	3	5	3	6	4	5	4	12
1909*	70	83	8	12	16	8	3	2	1	3	3	4	4	6
1910*	210	197	30	57	49	20	14	6	6	6	3	2	6	11
1911*	93	106	11	16	27	12	3	3	1	...	1	1	7	11
1912*	82	88	9	13	18	12	11	4	3	2	3	2	2	3
1913	56	64	17	4	12	5	7	4	...	...	...	1	2	4
1914	135	114	13	24	42	16	9	3	2	4	...	4	13	5
1915	69	80	6	13	17	9	5	2	8	...	3	1	1	4
1916	124	130	30	29	26	18	7	3	2	1	4	1	1	2
1917	55	52	8	11	11	8	...	3	...	4	4	...	2	4
1918	54	60	9	16	12	4	3	2	1	1	...	...	2	4
1919	43	32	4	7	5	4	4	...	2	1	1	1	4	10
1920	85	61	16	13	6	3	1	3	3	2	1	2	3	32
1921	137	155	29	37	35	6	5	...	4	1	2	3	4	11
1922	43	59	8	6	11	5	2	2	1	...	3	...	1	4
1923	37	32	5	5	5	1	3	4	2	2	1	2	...	7
1924	20	25	1	...	4	5	1	...	1	3	2	1	...	2
1925	31	29	6	4	5	2	2	1	1	3	1	2	2	2
1926	34	33	9	5	1	4	2	1	...	2	...	2	1	7
1927	37	40	12	5	5	4	1	1	2	2	...	1	2	2
Average, 1900-09*	112	114	23	22	19	10	4	3	3	3	3	3	5	14
Average, 1910-19*	92	92	14	19	22	11	6	3	2	2	2	1	4	6

* Previous to 1913 the figures include deaths at all ages.

NUMBER OF MARRIAGES IN EACH MONTH, 1918–27.

Year.	Month.												
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.
1918	85	94	84	110	93	98	93	105	90	89	79	111	1131
1919	105	100	102	159	120	122	113	130	123	145	133	161	1513
1920	145	159	180	215	166	203	142	161	160	165	128	175	1999
1921	147	125	189	176	104	160	130	136	118	102	113	168	1668
1922	118	133	121	187	140	144	126	151	124	130	159	141	1674
1923	128	108	149	191	125	136	103	115	108	133	130	166	1592
1924	114	133	120	196	103	130	141	88	126	110	107	161	1529
1925	112	115	104	223	109	135	115	98	111	110	114	158	1504
1926	92	125	122	185	96	129	97	98	106	120	105	160	1435
1927	90	102	104	185	107	108	117	128	103	126	109	153	1432
Average 1918–27	114	119	128	182	116	137	118	121	117	123	118	155	1548

CAUSES OF DEATHS (BY MONTHS).

TABLE showing the Principal Causes of Deaths in each Month of 1927.

	Causes.	Month in which Death Occurred.											
		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.	Typhoid	1	...	3	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	1
9.	Whooping Cough	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10.	Diphtheria and Croup	...	1	3	...	...	1	2	1	2	...	...	...
11.	Influenza	1	...	...	...	2	...	3	...	2	2	2	1
31.	Phthisis	10	6	9	11	6	16	14	9	9	13	8	9
32-37.	Other forms of Tuberculosis	4	...	...	3	3	4	2	1	1	2	3	2
43-49.	Cancer (all forms)	14	14	19	17	19	20	25	21	24	15	13	15
57.	Diabetes	3	2	4	2	2	4	5	3	5	4	3	2
71(*a*).	Meningitis (Simple)	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...
71(*b*).	Meningitis (Cerebro-spinal)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...
74(*a*).	Cerebral Hæmorrhage	9	9	3	6	8	9	10	11	8	11	5	7
	Paralysis and other Nerve Diseases	5	4	8	11	3	4	8	12	3	8	12	8
87-90.	Heart Disease (Organic)	26	13	20	26	33	26	31	26	18	35	23	25
91-96.	Other Diseases of the Circulatory System	2	1	5	5	3	7	2	5	2	2	6	2
99.	Bronchitis	3	...	1	5	2	7	3	5	9	1	2	2
100-101.	Pneumonia and Broncho-Pneumonia	7	3	7	7	15	12	21	14	14	10	22	10
	Other Respiratory System	1	1	3	1	1	3	4	5	3	3	4	2
113.	Diarrhœa & Enteritis (under 2 years)	12	5	5	4	1	1	2	2	...	1	2	2
114.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis (over 2 years)	1	3	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3
	Other Diseases of the Digestive System	5	5	12	6	6	9	7	7	8	8	7	7
128-129.	Nephritis: Bright's Disease	4	7	5	6	9	9	9	5	11	5	6	9
130-142.	Other Diseases of the Genito-Urinary System	3	3	4	2	3	2	3	5	3	2	2	4
143-150.	Puerperal State	2	...	3	2	1	1	1	7	1	2	6	1
159-163.	Malformations and Diseases of Early Infancy	15	13	12	10	14	17	11	16	13	11	22	17
164.	Old Age	13	19	12	13	20	16	13	20	13	7	13	12
165-203.	External Causes	12	7	14	15	10	5	4	8	8	12	8	11
	Other Diseases	9	6	9	6	10	4	7	9	16	5	12	18
	Total	162	123	164	161	172	179	189	194	175	161	183	170

DEATH RATE of Principal Causes in Age Groups, 1910-12 *and* 1920-22.

Age Groups.	Deaths per 100,000 Population.											
	Diphtheria.		Tuberculosis.		Cancer.		Diabetes.		Cerebral Hæmorrhage		Heart Disease.	
	Average 1910-12.	Average 1920-22.	Average 1910-12.	Average 1920-22.	Average 1910-12.	Average 1920-22.	Average 1910-12.	Average 1920-22.	Average 1910-12.	Average 1920-22.	Average 1910-12.	Average 1920-22.
Under 1 year	12	18	149	65	6	6	...	...	6	12	161	24
1 to 19 years	27	51	46	28	4	1	2	3	2	...	18	13
20 to 39 years	...	5	120	115	14	16	3	3	5	4	45	24
40 to 59 years	1	1	101	85	142	147	11	14	63	58	183	128
60 years and over	...	6	73	71	519	610	61	94	468	350	1152	964
Corrected Average	11	23	82	68	92	103	11	15	68	53	191	147

Age Groups.	Bronchitis.		Pneumonia and Broncho-Pneumonia.		Diarrhœa and Enteritis.		Nephritis.		Old Age.		External Causes.		All Causes.	
	Average 1910-12.	Average 1920-22.	Average 1910-12.	Average 1920-22.	Average 1910-12.	Average 1920-22.	Average 1910-12.	Average 1920-22	Average 1910-12.	Average 1920-22.	Average 1910-12.	Average 1920-22.	Average 1910-12.	Average 1920-22.
Under 1 year	211	83	639	804	1811	1318	12	6	...	...	180	59	8466	6791
1 to 19 years	5	2	36	30	18	21	6	4	...	...	43	24	331	270
20 to 39 years	1	2	32	30	1	3	18	16	...	...	56	59	479	436
40 to 59 years	12	8	68	55	8	9	39	40	...	...	71	64	967	902
60 years and over	212	193	251	274	59	57	142	187	1944	953	92	108	5906	4857
Corrected Average	34	27	81	83	62	51	31	35	223	109	61	52	1340	1128

SUMMARY OF DEATHS—UNDER CLASSES, AND PRINCIPAL SPECIFIC CAUSES—(1918–27).

Classes.	Tasmania.									
	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.
I. Epidemic, Endemic, and Infectious Diseases	432	692	479	596	273	286	262	224	204	189
II. General Diseases					263	256	266	284	263	319
III. Diseases of Nervous System, &c.	177	205	186	211	206	224	204	217	197	191
IV. Diseases of Circulatory System	248	287	284	274	265	301	318	309	318	344
V. Diseases of Respiratory System	212	199	248	262	217	267	271	211	220	213
VI. Diseases of Digestive System	158	153	179	258	167	158	123	141	131	138
VII. Diseases of Genito-urinary System	75	101	110	82	77	92	110	103	100	121
VIII. Puerperal State	27	19	30	24	32	17	24	30	20	27
IX. Diseases of the Skin and Cellular Tissues	4	8	12	13	12	9	17	8	16	11
X. Diseases of Bones and Organs of Locomotion	7	6	5	5	4	..	...	1	1	3
XI. Malformations	20	11	27	30	40	34	34	23	20	22
XII. Diseases of Early Infancy	149	195	167	151	158	150	152	135	133	149
XIII. Senility	163	178	172	149	163	194	187	164	149	171
XIV. Affections Produced by External Causes	95	101	108	115	94	113	125	126	111	114
XV. Ill-defined Diseases	35	37	29	27	26	36	30	20	29	21
TOTAL	1802	2192	2036	2197	1997	2137	2123	1996	1912	2033
Principal Specific Causes.										
Typhoid	11	11	16	26	15	13	8	6	8	9
Whooping Cough	10	12	6	19	6	...	14	27	1	...
Diphtheria and Croup	20	21	33	61	58	32	20	13	6	10
Influenza	37	225	16	33	12	37	19	8	41	13
Phthisis	93	121	104	132	108	138	127	111	109	120
Other forms of Tuberculosis	31	32	32	24	41	26	37	26	22	25
Syphilis	18	4	6	18	8	11	16	6	3	1
Cancer (all forms)	145	178	153	178	187	164	197	197	185	216
Diabetes	17	26	30	24	26	30	23	28	31	39
Meningitis (Simple)	16	10	14	15	17	17	19	5	15	6
Meningitis (Cerebro-spinal)	5	7	...	...	2	2	...	2	5	3
Cerebral Hæmorrhage	92	93	83	92	84	105	88	105	95	96
Paralysis and other Nerve Diseases	64	95	89	104	103	100	97	105	82	86
Heart Disease (organic)	222	256	249	242	233	276	283	274	282	302
Other Diseases of the Circulatory System	26	31	35	32	32	25	35	35	36	42
Bronchitis	60	37	35	53	41	45	41	33	32	40
Pneumonia and Broncho-pneumonia	132	121	166	175	135	189	193	139	156	142
Other Respiratory System	20	41	47	34	41	33	37	39	32	31
Diarrhœa and Enteritis (under 2 yrs.)	54	43	83	137	43	37	20	31	34	37
" " (over 2 yrs.)	21	18	16	22	23	16	16	20	14	14
Other Diseases of Digestive System	83	92	80	99	101	105	87	90	83	87
Nephritis; Bright's Disease	48	70	77	56	51	54	75	78	65	85
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System	27	31	33	26	26	38	35	25	35	36
Puerperal State	27	19	30	24	32	17	24	30	20	27
Malformations and Diseases of Early Infancy	169	206	194	181	198	184	186	158	153	171
Old Age	163	178	172	149	163	194	187	164	149	171
Accident or Negligence	86	85	84	99	76	94	106	98	98	86
Homicide	3	5	4	2	4	2	4	6	2	5
Suicide	6	11	20	14	14	17	15	22	11	23
Other Diseases	96	113	129	126	117	136	114	115	107	110

Deaths at sea are not included.

SUMMARY OF DEATHS—*continued.*

DEATHS PER 100,000 PERSONS LIVING (MEAN POPULATION).

Classes.	Tasmania.										
	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.	Average, 1918-27.
I. Epidemic, Endemic, and Infectious Diseases	218	338	228	279	127 123	133 119	122 124	105 133	97 124	90 152	251
II. General Diseases											
III. Diseases of Nervous System	89	100	89	99	96	104	95	102	93	91	96
IV. Diseases of Circulatory System	125	140	135	128	123	140	148	145	151	164	140
V. Diseases of Respiratory System	107	97	118	123	101	124	126	99	104	101	110
VI. Diseases of Digestive System	79	75	85	121	78	73	58	66	62	66	76
VII. Diseases of Genito-urinary System	38	49	52	39	36	43	51	48	47	58	46
VIII. Puerperal State	14	9	14	11	15	8	11	14	9	13	12
IX. Diseases of the Skin & Cellular Tissues	2	4	6	6	5	4	8	4	8	5	5
X. Diseases of Bones and Organs of Locomotion	4	3	2	2	2	—	—	—	—	1	2
XI. Malformations	10	5	13	14	19	16	16	11	9	11	13
XII. Diseases of Early Infancy	75	95	79	71	73	69	71	63	63	71	73
XIII. Senility	82	87	82	70	76	90	87	77	71	81	80
XIV. Affections produced by External Causes	48	49	51	54	44	52	58	59	53	54	52
XV. Ill-defined Diseases	18	18	14	13	12	17	14	9	14	10	14
TOTAL	909	1069	968	1030	930	992	989	935	905	968	970
Principal Specific Causes.											
Typhoid	6	5	8	12	7	6	4	3	4	4	6
Whooping Cough	5	6	3	9	3	—	7	13	—	—	5
Diphtheria and Croup	10	10	16	29	27	15	9	6	3	5	13
Influenza	19	110	7	16	5	17	9	4	19	6	21
Phthisis	47	59	49	62	50	64	59	52	52	57	55
Other forms of Tuberculosis	16	16	15	11	19	12	17	12	10	12	14
Syphilis	9	2	3	8	4	5	8	3	1	—	4
Cancer (all forms)	73	87	73	84	87	76	92	92	88	103	86
Diabetes	9	13	14	11	12	14	11	13	15	19	13
Meningitis (Simple)	8	5	7	7	8	8	9	2	7	3	7
Meningitis (Cerebro-spinal)	3	3	—	—	1	1	—	1	2	1	1
Cerebral Hæmorrhage	46	45	39	43	39	49	41	49	45	46	44
Paralysis and Other Nerve Diseases	32	46	42	49	48	46	45	49	39	41	44
Heart Diseases (Organic)	112	125	119	113	109	128	132	128	134	144	124
Other Diseases of Circulatory System	13	15	17	15	15	12	16	16	17	20	16
Bronchitis	30	18	17	25	19	21	19	16	15	19	20
Pneumonia and Broncho-pneumonia	67	59	79	82	63	88	90	65	74	68	74
Other Diseases of Respiratory System	10	20	22	16	19	15	17	18	15	15	17
Diarrhœa and Enteritis (under 2 years)	27	21	39	64	20	17	9	15	16	18	25
" " " (over 2 years)	10	9	7	10	11	7	7	9	7	7	8
Other Diseases of Digestive System	42	45	38	47	47	49	41	42	39	41	43
Nephritis (Bright's Disease)	24	34	37	26	24	25	35	37	31	41	31
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System	14	15	16	12	12	18	16	12	17	17	15
Puerperal State	14	9	14	11	15	8	11	14	9	13	12
Malformations & Diseases of Early Infancy	85	101	92	85	92	85	87	74	72	81	85
Old Age	82	87	82	70	76	90	87	77	71	81	80
Accident or Negligence	43	42	40	46	35	44	49	46	46	41	43
Homicide	2	2	2	1	2	1	2	3	1	2	2
Suicide	3	5	10	7	7	8	7	10	5	11	7
Other Diseases	48	55	61	59	54	63	53	54	51	52	55

Deaths at sea are not included.

SUMMARY OF DEATHS—UNDER DISTRICTS, CLASSES, AND PRINCIPAL SPECIFIC CAUSES—(1923–1927).

Classes.	Hobart.					Launceston.					Other Districts.				
	1923.	1924.	1925	1926.	1927.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.
I. Epidemic, Endemic, & Infectious Diseases	95	86	79	76	72	44	41	33	22	32	147	135	112	106	85
II. General Diseases	95	84	90	86	89	44	47	43	45	62	117	135	151	132	168
III. Diseases of Nervous System	52	68	60	51	49	59	36	36	33	27	113	100	121	113	115
IV. Diseases of Circulatory System	87	93	113	122	126	62	53	46	42	53	152	172	150	154	165
V. Diseases of Respiratory System	86	63	55	42	52	25	38	34	40	37	156	170	122	138	124
VI. Diseases of Digestive System	50	33	36	52	38	16	12	21	18	27	92	78	84	61	73
VII. Diseases of Genito-urinary System	30	44	30	30	35	15	8	9	20	22	47	58	64	50	64
VIII. Diseases of Puerperal State	4	4	6	6	7	1	4	5	2	2	12	16	19	12	18
IX. Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues	1	2	2	4	3	...	5	...	2	...	8	10	6	10	8
X. Diseases of Bones and Organs of Locomotion	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	2
XI. Malformations	13	11	8	5	7	4	3	...	5	3	17	20	15	10	12
XII. Diseases of Early Infancy	38	37	38	43	43	23	25	24	14	18	89	90	73	76	88
XIII. Senility	70	68	57	59	70	26	35	21	21	21	98	84	86	69	80
XIV. Affections produced by External Causes	27	18	30	33	25	12	20	12	5	15	74	87	84	73	74
XV. Ill-defined Diseases	6	7	2	4	10	4	4	3	6	4	26	19	15	19	7
TOTAL	654	618	606	613	627	335	331	288	275	323	1148	1174	1102	1024	1083
Principal Specific Causes.															
Typhoid	4	3	1	3	5	1	1	1	...	...	8	5	4	5	4
Whooping Cough	...	1	10	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	12	17	...	...
Diphtheria and Croup	10	5	2	1	...	2	2	4	1	3	20	13	7	4	7
Influenza	8	5	...	7	2	6	...	...	3	1	23	14	8	31	10
Phthisis	54	58	48	51	56	21	15	16	14	18	63	54	47	44	46
Other forms of Tuberculosis	13	8	9	9	6	4	8	6	2	8	9	21	11	11	11
Syphilis	...	1	...	...	...	7	9	4	...	...	4	6	2	3	1
Cancer (all forms)	63	61	63	61	66	28	37	34	28	40	73	99	100	96	110
Diabetes	10	6	8	8	9	6	2	3	9	5	14	15	17	14	25
Meningitis (simple)	2	5	...	2	2	3	3	1	2	...	12	11	4	11	4
Meningitis (Cerebro-spinal)	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	4	2
Cerebral Hæmorrhage	27	35	32	26	22	26	16	20	17	20	52	37	53	52	54
Paralysis and other Nerve Diseases	23	28	28	23	24	30	17	15	13	7	47	52	62	46	55
Heart Disease (organic)	80	84	103	115	118	56	49	40	33	41	140	150	131	134	143
Other Diseases of Circulatory System	7	9	10	7	8	6	4	6	9	12	12	22	19	20	22
Bronchitis	11	6	10	4	12	2	7	4	8	7	32	28	19	20	21
Pneumonia and Broncho-pneumonia	63	51	38	31	33	17	23	23	29	23	109	119	78	96	86
Other Respiratory System	12	6	7	7	7	6	8	7	3	7	15	23	25	22	17
Diarrhœa and Enteritis (under 2 years)	13	8	10	13	14	6	1	4	7	12	18	11	17	14	11
" " (over 2 years)	5	4	3	4	3	3	...	1	1	1	8	12	16	9	10
Other Diseases of Digestive System	32	21	23	35	21	7	11	16	10	14	66	55	51	38	52
Nephritis; Bright's Disease	17	30	26	17	25	6	3	7	12	18	31	42	45	36	42
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System	13	14	4	13	10	9	5	2	8	4	16	16	19	14	22
Puerperal State	4	4	6	6	7	1	4	5	2	2	12	16	19	12	18
Malformations and Diseases of Early Infancy	51	48	46	48	50	27	28	24	19	21	106	110	88	86	100
Old Age	70	68	57	59	70	26	35	21	21	21	98	84	86	69	80
Accident or Negligence	21	18	22	29	17	10	18	10	5	9	63	70	66	64	60
Homicide	2	...	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	1	2
Suicide	4	...	6	3	5	2	2	2	...	6	11	13	14	8	12
Other Diseases	35	31	32	30	31	17	23	12	17	23	84	60	71	60	56

Deaths in Public Hospitals are shown only in the District in which the cause originated. Deaths at sea are not included.

SUMMARY OF DEATHS—*continued.*

DEATHS PER 100,000 PERSONS LIVING (MEAN POPULATION).

Classes.	Hobart.					Launceston.					Other Districts.				
	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.
I. Epidemic, Endemic, and Infectious Diseases	173	155	150	145	139	159	150	122	81	114	111	103	84	80	65
II. General Diseases	173	151	171	165	171	159	172	159	166	220	88	103	113	100	129
III. Diseases of Nervous System	95	122	114	98	94	213	131	133	122	96	85	76	91	86	89
IV. Diseases of Circulatory System	158	167	215	233	244	224	194	170	155	188	114	131	112	117	127
V. Diseases of Respiratory System	157	113	105	80	100	90	139	126	147	132	118	129	91	105	95
VI. Diseases of Digestive System	91	59	69	100	73	58	44	78	67	96	69	59	63	46	56
VII. Diseases of Genito-urinary System	55	79	57	57	67	54	29	33	74	78	35	44	48	38	49
VIII. Diseases of Puerperal State	7	7	12	11	13	4	15	19	7	7	9	12	14	9	14
IX. Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues	2	4	4	8	6	...	18	...	7	...	6	8	4	8	6
X. Diseases of Bones and Organs of Locomotion	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	1	2
XI. Malformations	24	20	15	10	13	14	11	...	18	11	13	15	11	8	9
XII. Diseases of Early Infancy	69	66	72	82	83	83	91	87	52	64	67	68	55	58	68
XIII. Senility	127	122	109	113	135	94	128	78	77	75	74	64	64	52	62
XIV. Affections produced by External Causes	49	32	57	63	48	43	73	44	18	53	56	66	63	55	57
XV. Ill-defined Diseases	11	13	4	8	19	14	15	11	22	14	20	14	11	14	5
TOTAL	1191	1110	1154	1173	1207	1209	1210	1064	1013	1148	865	892	824	777	833
Principal Specific Causes.															
Typhoid	7	5	2	6	10	4	...	4	...	...	6	4	3	4	3
Whooping Cough	...	2	19	...	...	...	4	...	4	...	...	9	13	...	...
Diphtheria and Croup	18	9	4	2	...	7	7	15	4	11	15	10	5	3	5
Influenza	14	9	...	13	4	22	...	...	11	4	17	11	6	24	8
Phthisis	98	104	91	98	108	76	55	59	52	64	48	41	35	33	35
Other Forms of Tuberculosis	24	14	17	17	12	14	29	22	7	28	7	16	8	8	8
Syphilis	...	2	...	...	...	25	33	15	...	...	3	5	2	2	1
Cancer (all forms)	115	110	120	117	127	101	135	126	103	142	55	75	75	73	85
Diabetes	18	11	15	15	17	22	7	11	33	18	11	11	13	11	19
Meningitis (Simple)	4	9	...	4	4	11	11	4	7	...	9	8	3	8	3
Meningitis (Cerebro-spinal)	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	4	...	2	...	2	3	2
Cerebral Hæmorrhage	49	63	61	50	42	94	59	74	63	71	39	28	40	39	42
Paralysis and other Nerve Diseases	42	50	53	44	46	108	62	55	48	25	35	40	46	35	42
Heart Disease (Organic)	146	151	196	220	227	202	179	148	122	145	105	114	98	102	110
Other Diseases of Circulatory System	13	16	19	13	15	22	15	22	33	43	9	17	14	15	17
Bronchitis	20	11	19	8	23	7	26	15	29	25	24	21	14	15	16
Pneumonia and Broncho-pneumonia	115	92	72	59	64	61	84	85	107	82	82	90	58	73	66
Other Respiratory System	22	11	13	13	13	22	29	26	11	25	11	17	19	17	13
Diarrhœa and Enteritis (under 2 years)	24	14	19	25	27	22	4	15	26	43	14	8	13	11	8
" " " (over 2 years)	9	7	6	8	6	11	...	4	4	4	6	9	12	7	8
Other Diseases of Digestive System	58	38	44	67	40	25	40	59	37	50	50	42	38	29	40
Nephritis (Bright's Disease)	31	54	50	33	48	22	11	26	44	64	23	32	34	27	32
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System	24	25	8	25	19	32	18	7	29	14	12	12	14	11	17
Puerperal State	7	7	11	11	13	4	15	19	7	7	9	12	14	9	14
Malformations and Diseases of Early Infancy	93	86	88	92	96	97	102	87	70	74	80	84	66	65	77
Old Age	127	122	109	113	135	94	128	78	77	74	74	64	64	52	62
Accident or Negligence	38	32	42	55	33	36	66	37	18	32	48	53	49	49	46
Homicide	4	...	4	2	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	1	2
Suicide	7	...	11	6	10	7	7	7	...	21	8	10	10	6	9
Other Diseases	64	56	61	57	60	61	84	44	63	82	63	46	53	45	43

Deaths in Public Hospitals are shown only in the district in which the cause originated. Deaths at sea are not included.

DEATH RATE FROM PRINCIPAL CAUSES.

DEATH Rate in Tasmania from principal Diseases since* 1872 *per* 100,000 *persons living (mean population).*

Year.	Typhoid.	Whooping Cough.	Diphtheria and Croup.†	Influenza.	Phthisis.	Other forms of Tuberculosis.	Syphilis.	Cancer (all forms).	Diabetes.	Meningitis (Simple).	Meningitis (Cerebro-Spinal).	Cerebral Hæmorrhage.	Heart Disease (Organic).	Bronchitis.	Pneumonia and Broncho-Pneumonia.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis (under 2 years).	Diarrœa and Enteritis (over 2 years).	Nephritis (Bright's Disease).	Puerperal State.	Old Age.	Accident or Negligence.	Homicide.	Suicide.
1872	29	37	1	6	108	41	4	46	6	...	...	55	75	43	57	54	25	9	14	134	86	5	6
1873	23	12	27	11	109	35	...	46	3	...	...	37	71	60	56	46	24	14	25	184	95	2	6
1874	42	37	35	5	95	29	1	45	5	...	...	47	103	58	63	51	41	10	11	200	97	3	6
1875	48	10	52	10	110	38	1	63	6	...	...	40	112	111	95	64	31	15	19	216	93	3	6
1876	25	3	45	5	95	19	4	40	3	...	...	63	94	69	89	49	39	15	14	192	113	2	6
1877	39	3	68	10	118	40	2	38	3	...	...	32	108	76	83	55	28	16	18	216	91	6	9
1878	46	3	54	1	103	23	9	49	3	...	...	37	97	60	65	59	25	14	13	196	87	5	7
1879	34	19	55	10	78	23	5	55	2	...	...	46	109	46	67	52	24	18	10	208	83	2	4
1880	26	48	79	7	100	16	3	52	3	...	...	39	94	73	71	70	35	7	16	202	85	1	7
1881	28	5	21	3	97	14	5	48	3	...	...	38	101	58	59	45	11	9	12	203	84	...	5
1882	30	...	14	...	103	18	5	50	2	...	...	41	99	44	65	49	22	5	12	255	70	...	3
1883	52	21	8	2	112	23	2	55	1	...	...	46	117	71	73	69	26	10	14	221	75	5	4
1884	40	9	18	5	114	13	3	52	2	...	...	42	111	73	59	38	13	16	7	235	62	2	5
1885	23	12	18	6	111	14	1	47	5	...	...	41	105	74	48	73	18	8	11	238	64	1	4
1886	36	21	9	1	109	12	1	44	3	...	...	41	105	79	58	58	20	16	8	212	66	1	2
1887	84	10	26	1	115	16	1	50	4	21	...	36	96	44	60	83	21	9	10	239	78	1	4
1888	58	...	31	2	112	16	1	49	3	17	...	31	122	43	59	55	17	16	7	215	80	1	5
1889	81	6	31	1	86	34	1	50	4	24	...	26	95	48	38	67	18	15	6	192	93	2	7
1890	34	29	34	8	96	22	2	55	3	19	...	21	118	69	52	66	17	7	10	218	81	3	12
1891	55	5	14	62	90	20	3	46	4	19	...	19	119	71	80	42	13	15	9	242	73	3	6
1892	30	1	45	13	85	31	3	45	4	22	..	29	115	39	61	71	14	15	12	214	64	2	6
1893	15	28	33	14	90	30	3	52	3	20	...	24	94	68	74	41	18	14	8	183	56	1	11
1894	22	3	29	26	93	18	4	53	4	17	...	23	93	47	51	59	10	12	12	177	67	2	9
1895	30	14	15	14	73	30	1	48	7	23	...	16	84	32	52	50	9	19	7	166	65	1	9
1896	28	6	8	15	70	19	4	61	1	20	...	31	131	41	70	48	11	23	11	166	78	1	8
1897	29	...	7	18	83	31	4	50	8	29	...	17	117	43	67	57	11	17	11	159	77	2	9
1898	50	2	6	32	75	36	2	59	4	29	...	17	121	49	72	97	19	22	15	199	82	4	5
1899	27	32	11	34	59	38	4	53	4	16	...	23	128	48	78	57	15	12	8	171	56	1	7
1900	17	12	6	21	62	27	1	53	3	17	...	15	138	31	50	41	12	26	14	145	60	1	9
1901	13	2	9	19	58	23	3	54	3	15	...	13	107	36	51	60	13	15	9	155	50	2	5
1902	14	13	2	28	58	37	2	62	7	20	...	15	115	29	64	36	15	15	10	152	43	...	6
1903	21	37	5	8	63	28	3	56	6	16	1	33	108	42	58	67	7	21	12	140	63	2	6
1904	12	15	2	12	63	33	6	52	10	14	...	37	129	26	58	62	7	22	8	153	44	1	8
1905	13	...	6	8	74	24	3	54	4	13	...	41	104	26	50	33	2	17	8	146	68	1	5
1906	20	1	2	13	66	24	2	51	6	21	1	45	135	22	74	84	7	20	11	146	53	..	11
1907	20	25	4	18	61	24	4	60	6	11	...	38	135	33	73	45	5	22	11	138	62	...	4
1908	20	12	6	17	74	22	3	65	7	26	1	48	117	23	80	68	12	10	19	136	57	2	7
1909	19	1	6	6	60	25	3	65	10	19	3	39	89	25	69	29	7	25	15	130	53	...	6
1910	21	27	8	4	63	24	3	64	7	14	1	43	113	20	63	97	12	25	15	117	48	1	8
1911	9	5	9	7	60	24	2	63	8	14	...	42	134	21	71	40	9	26	12	124	49	1	6
1912	8	1	21	14	56	20	...	65	7	17	...	45	143	30	77	38	5	21	10	124	51	2	10
1913	7	11	19	11	58	16	6	72	14	16	...	44	108	29	93	29	3	27	12	102	65	2	8
1914	6	5	17	9	49	12	2	74	7	18	...	34	94	26	67	69	10	26	13	80	54	1	6
1915	9	13	15	13	54	12	6	71	16	11	7	39	124	29	59	35	9	35	13	91	43	2	8
1916	7	11	20	7	61	23	2	78	9	7	21	49	108	28	74	64	20	29	8	102	44	1	7
1917	9	3	19	3	49	13	4	80	11	5	5	47	107	20	49	28	8	20	12	96	36	2	5
1918	6	5	10	19	47	16	9	73	9	8	3	46	112	30	67	27	10	24	14	82	43	2	3
1919	5	6	10	110	59	16	2	87	13	5	3	45	125	18	59	21	9	34	9	87	42	2	5
1920	8	3	16	7	49	15	3	73	14	7	...	39	118	17	79	39	7	37	14	82	40	2	10
1921	12	9	29	16	62	11	8	84	11	7	...	43	113	25	82	64	10	26	11	70	46	1	7
1922	7	3	27	5	50	19	4	87	12	8	1	39	108	19	63	20	11	24	15	76	35	2	7
1923	6	...	15	17	64	12	5	76	14	8	1	49	128	21	88	17	7	25	8	90	44	1	8
1924	4	7	9	9	59	17	8	92	11	9	...	41	132	19	90	9	7	35	11	87	49	2	7
1925	3	13	6	4	52	12	3	92	13	2	1	49	128	16	65	15	9	37	14	77	46	3	10
1926	4	...	3	19	52	10	1	88	15	7	2	45	134	15	74	16	7	31	9	71	46	1	5
1927	4	...	5	6	57	12	...	103	19	3	1	46	144	19	68	18	7	41	13	81	41	2	11

* Deaths which occurred at sea, or on foreign ships in Tasmanian waters, and were registered in Tasmania, are not included.
Population 1911-20.—Revised estimate based upon results ascertained at Census (4th April) 1921.

† Croup has been included with diphtheria since 1913.

DEATHS FROM CANCER (ALL FORMS), COMPARED WITH DEATHS FROM ALL CAUSES—TASMANIA.

Year.	Number.			Death Rate from Cancer per 100,000 Persons living.	Deaths from Cancer per cent. to Deaths from All Causes.	
	Males.	Females.	Persons.			
1870	19	24	43	43	3·1	
1871	21	21	42	41	3·1	
1872	29	18	47	46	3·3	3·1
1873	26	22	48	46	3·2	
1874	26	21	47	45	2·8	
1875	37	28	65	63	3·1	
1876	27	15	42	40	2·4	
1877	21	19	40	38	2·0	2·8
1878	29	24	53	49	3·1	
1879	34	27	61	55	3·6	
1880	32	27	59	52	3·2	
1881	23	33	56	48	3·2	
1882	32	28	60	50	3·1	3·2
1883	36	31	67	55	3·2	
1884	31	34	65	52	3·3	
1885	33	27	60	47	2·9	
1886	33	24	57	44	2·9	
1887	30	37	67	50	3·1	3·1
1888	40	28	68	49	3·3	
1889	40	30	70	50	3·3	
1890	46	33	79	55	3·7	
1891	36	32	68	46	3·0	
1892	34	35	69	45	3·3	3·6
1893	40	39	79	52	3·8	
1894	46	34	80	53	4·1	
1895	32	43	75	48	4·1	
1896	49	46	95	61	5·0	
1897	38	43	81	50	4·2	4 3
1898	52	47	99	59	4·2	
1899	41	50	91	53	4·1	
1900	51	42	93	54	4·9	
1901	48	47	95	54	5·3	
1902	58	51	109	62	5·7	5·1
1903	55	45	100	56	4·8	
1904	41	52	93	52	4·7	
1905	45	52	97	54	5·3	
1906	48	46	94	51	4·7	
1907	52	60	112	60	5·6	5·6
1908	60	63	123	65	5·8	
1909	55	69	124	65	6·7	
1910	61	62	123	64	5·8	
1911	67	52	119	63	6·2	
1912	58	65	123	65	6·0	6·4
1913	64	76	140	72	6·6	
1914	70	74	144	74	7·5	
1915	68	72	140	71	7·0	
1916	77	75	152	78	7·4	
1917	73	82	155	80	8·8	7·9
1918	65	80	145	73	8·1	
1919	78	100	178	87	8·1	
1920	79	74	153	73	7·5	
1921	77	101	178	84	8·1	
1922	95	92	187	87	9·4	8·4
1923	85	79	164	76	7·7	
1924	97	100	197	92	9·3	
1925	109	88	197	92	9·9	
1926	95	90	185	88	9·7	
1927	108	108	216	103	10·6	

DEATHS FROM CANCER BY AGES, 1927.

Class.	Types and Seat of Disease.	Males.											Females.											Persons.		
		Under 5 years.	5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and over.	Total.	Under 5 years.	5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and over.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
	Types of Disease—																									
	Adeno-carcinoma	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	6	6	1	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	8	6	6	7	29	16	29	45
	Cancer	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5	18	24	18	67	...	...	1	...	...	2	6	8	24	9	17	67	67	67	134
	Carcinoma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1
	Chondrosarcoma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	6	1	7
	Epithelioma	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	5	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Hypernephroma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	7	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	1	5	9	5	14
	Malignant Disease	2	...	...	1	...	1	3	...	1	1	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	3	9	3	12
	Sarcoma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	1
	Scirrhus																											
No.	Total	2	1	...	1	...	1	6	9	26	43	19	108	...	...	1	...	1	2	8	19	32	18	27	108	108	108	216
	Seat of Disease—																											
43	Jaw	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
	Lip	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
	Tongue	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	5	1	6
44	Cardia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Liver	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	3	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	3	7	6	7	13
	Œsophagus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	4	4	4	8
	Pylorus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	1	2
	Stomach	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	13	12	8	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	8	4	8	21	39	21	60
	Throat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	2
45	Bowel	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	2	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3	8	3	11
	Cæcum	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	1	3
	Colon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	3	1	2	8	4	8	12
	Rectum	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	4	4	4	8
46	Ovary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	5	...	5	5
	Uterus (Womb)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5	7	1	...	15	...	15	15
	Vulva	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	1
47	Breast (Mammæ)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	8	5	2	5	23	...	23	23
48	Face	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	4	1	5
49	Abdomen	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	2	2	4
	Bladder	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	..	...	1	2	1	3
	Bone	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Eye	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Hand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1
	Humerus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1
	Kidney	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Larynx	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Lung	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	3	2	5
	Neck	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3
	Orbit	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Pancreas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Pelvis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	1
	Prostate	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4
	Spleen	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	1
	Testis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Thyroid Gland	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Not stated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	3	3	6
	Total	2	1	...	1	...	1	6	9	26	43	19	108	...	...	1	...	1	2	8	19	32	18	27	108	108	108	216

DEATHS FROM TUBERCULOSIS (ALL FORMS) COMPARED WITH DEATHS FROM ALL CAUSES.—TASMANIA.

Year	Number.			Death Rate from Tuberculosis per 100,000 Persons living.	Deaths from Tuberculosis per cent. to Deaths from All Causes.	
	Males.	Females.	Persons.			
1870	60	52	112	112	7·9	
1871	70	43	113	112	8·3	
1872	82	71	153	149	10·8	8·9
1873	87	62	149	144	9·9	
1874	69	60	129	124	7·6	
1875	75	78	153	148	7·4	
1876	50	69	119	114	6·9	
1877	85	82	167	158	8·2	7·5
1878	65	73	138	126	8·1	
1879	63	50	113	101	6·7	
1880	69	62	131	116	7·2	
1881	68	61	129	111	7·4	
1882	64	80	144	121	7·6	7·6
1883	88	76	164	135	7·7	
1884	89	70	159	127	8·0	
1885	83	77	160	125	7·9	
1886	85	73	158	121	8·0	
1887	97	79	176	131	8·1	7·8
1888	72	71	143	128	7·0	
1889	81	87	168	120	8·0	
1890	86	83	169	118	8·0	
1891	101	63	164	110	7·3	
1892	96	81	177	116	8·6	8·3
1893	88	94	182	120	8·8	
1894	81	89	170	111	8·8	
1895	86	77	163	103	9·0	
1896	64	80	144	89	7·6	
1897	82	103	185	114	9·5	8·3
1898	94	92	186	111	7·9	
1899	86	80	166	97	7·5	
1900	87	72	159	89	8·4	
1901	75	66	141	81	7·8	
1902	76	94	170	95	8·9	8·3
1903	79	84	163	91	7·7	
1904	84	89	173	96	8·8	
1905	88	89	177	98	9·6	
1906	80	82	162	90	8·0	
1907	76	81	157	85	7·8	8·5
1908	80	100	180	96	8·5	
1909	81	82	163	85	8·8	
1910	74	95	169	87	8·0	
1911	84	77	161	85	8·3	
1912	58	89	147	77	7·1	7·3
1913	71	75	146	75	6·9	
1914	58	63	121	62	6·3	
1915	67	63	130	66	6·5	
1916	79	84	163	84	7·9	
1917	68	54	122	63	6·9	7·0
1918	67	57	124	63	6·9	
1919	82	71	153	75	7·0	
1920	75	61	136	65	6·7	
1921	88	68	156	73	7·1	
1922	84	65	149	69	7·5	7·3
1923	76	88	164	76	7·7	
1924	88	76	164	77	7·7	
1925	71	66	137	64	6·9	
1926	67	64	131	62	6·9	
1927	63	82	145	69	7·1	

NUMBER of Cases of Infectious Diseases reported to Department of Public Health during the Year 1927.

Local Authority.	Diphtheria.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Phthisis.	Puerperal Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis.	Lethargic Encephalitis.	Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	Infantile Paralysis	Hæmaturia.	Total.
1. Beaconsfield ...	3	1	1	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	10
2. Bothwell	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
3. Brighton	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
4. Bruny	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Campbell Town	1	6	4	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	14
6. Circular Head...	42	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44
7. Clarence	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
8. Deloraine	11	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	17
9. Devonport	8	3	..	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	12
10. Emu Bay	11	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	15
11. Esperance	18	1	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	25
12. Evandale.....	28	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	31
13. Fingal	1	...	2	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	8
14. Flinders	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
15. George Town ...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
16. Glamorgan	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
17. Glenorchy	9	1	2	8	1	...	...	1	...	...	22
18. Gormanston ...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
19. Green Ponds ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
20. Hamilton	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	4
21. Hobart.....	21	6	14	42	6	1	...	...	...	...	90
22. Huon	2	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
23. Kentish	13	...	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	18
24. Kingborough ...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	3
25. King Island ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
26. Latrobe	2	1	1	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	9
27. Launceston	148	21	4	32	4	...	...	...	...	...	209
28. Leven	32	12	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	49
29. Lilydale	45	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	47
30. Longford.....	2	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
31. New Norfolk ...	10	1	20	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	34
32. Oatlands	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	4
33. Penguin	9	2	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	16
34. Port Cygnet ...	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
35. Portland	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
36. Queenstown ...	...	9	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
37. Richmond	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
38. Ringarooma ...	40	...	6	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	50
39. Ross.....	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
40. Scottsdale	7	...	1	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	12
41. Sorell	1	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
42. Spring Bay.....	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
43. St. Leonards ...	7	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
44. Strahan	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
45. Table Cape	11	2	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	17
46. Tasman	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
47. Waratah	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
48. Westbury	15	...	5	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	24
49. Zeehan	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
50. Overseas	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Total Cases...	507	91	77	171	21	3	2	3	...	...	875

CASES of Venereal Disease Notified in 1927.

Disease.	Cases Notified.					
	Males.		Females.		Total.	
	Married.	Single.	Married.	Single.	Married.	Single.
Gonorrhœa.....	77	184	39	41	116	225
Gleet	6	3	...	...	6	3
Syphilis, Primary	4	7	8	4	12	11
Syphilis, Secondary						
Syphilis, Congenital						
Soft Chancre	1	2	...	...	1	2
Gonorrhœa and Syphilis	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gonorrhœa and Chancre	...	...	...	...	...	...
Syphilis and Chancre	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gonorrhœa and Ophthalmia.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	88	196	47	45	135	241

There was 1 male death from Syphilis in 1927 (Tertiary).

MARRIAGE BY MUNICIPALITIES AND RELIGION, 1927.

Note.—For Marriages by Months see Page 34.

MUNICIPALITIES.	DENOMINATION.																
	Church of England.	Church of Scotland.	Church of Rome.	Methodist Church of Australasia.	Congregationalists or Independents.	Baptist Church.	Church of Christ.	Christian Mission.	Jews.	Seventh Day Adventist	Salvation Army.	City Missions.	Society of Friends.	Latter Day Saints.	Christian Brethren.	By Registrars.	TOTAL.
CHIEF URBAN DISTRICTS.																	
Hobart	161	43	88	69	32	3	47	...	1	2	3	2	...	...	...	60	511
Glenorchy	25	...	...	2	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32
Launceston	130	37	39	61	5	6	9	...	...	...	3	15	...	...	...	3	308
Devonport	15	4	3	9	3	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	42
Total Urban Division	331	84	130	141	41	20	56	...	1	2	6	17	...	...	1	63	893
Circular Head	11	2	6	3	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26
Deloraine	9	...	4	4	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20
Emu Bay	22	2	10	11	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	53
Kentish	4	...	...	5	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	16
King Island	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Latrobe	6	...	3	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13
Leven	17	3	7	12	...	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	49
Penguin	3	...	1	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
Table Cape	8	...	5	5	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	26
Total North-Western Div.	81	7	36	50	...	29	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7	216
Beaconsfield	5	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
Fingal	8	3	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16
Flinders Island	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
George Town	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Lilydale	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Portland	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Ringarooma	11	2	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19
Scottsdale	9	...	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14
Total North-Eastern Div.	49	9	6	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	79
Evandale	4	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
Longford	13	...	1	6	...	8	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	28
St. Leonards	1	...	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Westbury	7	...	2	6	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16
Total N. Midland Division	25	5	3	15	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58
Bothwell	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Campbell Town	5	1	1	2	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
Hamilton	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Oatlands	5	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
Ross	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Total Midland Division	17	6	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29
Brighton	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Clarence	10	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14
Glamorgan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Green Ponds	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Richmond	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Sorell	2	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Spring Bay	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Total South-Eastern Div.	17	...	5	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29
Bruny	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Esperance	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Huon	5	...	5	7	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	22
Kingborough	5	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
New Norfolk	8	...	5	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18
Port Cygnet	5	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14
Tasman	3	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Total South Division	28	...	19	15	7	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	71
Gormanston	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Queenstown	13	4	6	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30
Strahan	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Waratah	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Zeehan	8	...	8	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18
Total Western Division	26	4	14	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	56
Total Country Divisions	243	31	86	110	14	39	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	8	538
GRAND TOTAL	574	115	216	251	55	59	59	...	1	2	6	17	...	...	5	71	1431 (*a*)
Per cent. to Total	40·11	8·05	15·09	17·54	3·84	4·12	4·12	...	·07	·14	·42	1·19	...	...	·35	4·96	100·00

Number of Minors married in 1927, 84 males, 397 females. For further particulars of age at marriage see Commonwealth Demography for 1927.

(*a*) 1431 marriages were solemnised in 1927. The number actually registered during the year was 1432.

WEATHER, 1927.

SYNOPSIS OF THE WEATHER OVER TASMANIA DURING THE YEAR, 1927.

REPORT OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, HOBART.

The year 1927 was one of under-average rainfall. Mean deficiencies for the various divisions were, in nearly all cases, between 15 per cent. and 25 per cent. of the average. A few stations received only about two-thirds of the normal. These were mainly in the districts east from the Derwent, such as Lindisfarne and Sorell, and in the Northern Midlands and Upper South Esk Valley (Campbell Town and Fingal). In most of these cases, totals were the lowest recorded since 1919, but in the case of Sorell since 1914. Here, however, the year 1921 was almost as dry. The Cressy district, on the other hand, received its average total.

Mean temperatures were from about ½ degree to 1 degree or so below the average for previous years, except in the north, where they were about normal, or very slightly below.

No month had a generally over-average rainfall. February and August were the best favoured in this respect. All divisions except the Midlands, Derwent Valley, and East received their average for February, and in August only the south-east quarter was deficient. In May the south-western half of the State received good falls, and the East Coast in July. In other months totals were below normal in practically all districts. April was a somewhat similar month to the record dry April of 1923. One noticeable feature of rainfall distribution during the year was the occurrence of moderately good falls at intervals and the comparative absence of long spells of rainy weather. The latter, however, were in evidence during the greater part of May and in July and the early part of August. Timely rains at intervals of three or four weeks in the spring undoubtedly saved the season from being disastrous for the farmer.

Mean temperatures were exceptionally low, being consistently under average until October. The month of June was the coldest recorded since 1882 in the south, and since 1908 in parts of the north. Snow lay on the mountains from May till early December, and very severe frosts were a feature of the winter and early spring months. These conditions naturally resulted in the season being rather late, but short intervals of mild weather in August, followed by milder conditions later in the spring, were effective in giving a marked impetus to growth.

Exceptional meteorological events during the year included a record low barometer for February on the 3rd (Hobart 28·876 inches); extreme temperatures on 11th February (Hobart 102·4 degrees, the highest registered since January 13, 1905); a severe thunderstorm and hailstorm in Southern Tasmania on 18th February, the hail severely damaging fruit crops in the Derwent Valley; a heavy easterly rain in the north-east on the 6th June (Lottah 530 points in 24 hours); and a severe frost in the north and Midlands on 22nd October, which did much damage among fruit and other crops in some districts.

Depressions were practically all of the "Antarctic" type from April to September. "Monsoonal-Antarctic" combinations gradually disappeared in March and reappeared, with little intensity in the spring. Antarctic low-pressure activity was only pronounced early in February and in May, but was also in evidence, to a moderate degree, in July and August. The development of extensive areas of low-pressure over southern waters, with rough westerly weather, and of depressions of considerable intensity, were the main features of such periods.

The weather in January was favourable for holiday-making and harvesting. Some rather high temperatures were experienced in the second week. Barometers were high during the first fortnight, but a series of depressions followed, ending in cold southerly weather at the end of the month. The heavy rain of the 6th occurred in connection with a monsoonal depression moving south-eastward from Central Australia.

Rather rough westerly weather marked the first week of February, and the lowest barometer readings of the year were recorded. Fine weather followed, with high temperatures, between the 10th and 12th. A severe thunderstorm and downpour in the south on the 18th was followed by a heavy steady rain in Southern Tasmania, and some cold, rough, southerly weather. Barometers were high after the 8th, except for three short periods of low-pressure. Mean pressure for the month, however, was below normal, as was that for March. High-pressure intervals occurred during the second and last week of the latter month. Otherwise barometers fluctuated considerably. Little rain occurred, except between the 3rd and 6th, when the development of a loop in the isobars of an oncoming "high" resulted in a good general fall. Several days of cold weather followed. Much cool south-westerly to southerly weather was also experienced during the last fortnight.

Although several depressions of moderate intensity passed in April, very little rain occurred. The highest barometer readings of the year were recorded on the 15th. Mean pressure was nearly one-tenth of an inch above normal. Somewhat similar weather early in May was followed by a period of rather rapid pressure fluctuations. Depressions of considerable intensity brought rough westerly weather at times, but temperatures were mild, and good rains fell over the northern half of the State. A strong southerly air-flow set in by the 26th, and some moderate to heavy rains followed in the south, with much snow on the highlands. Mean pressure was over one-tenth of an inch below normal.

Periods of high air-pressure, with intervals marked by one or two rather deep depressions, followed until the end of June. Further heavy snow fell on the highlands between the 7th and 10th, with rough south-westerly weather, but the outstanding feature of this month was the occurrence of spells of hard frosts. Minimum air temperatures of under 30 degrees occurred at a number of stations during the first, third, and last weeks. Depressions brought good rains on the 6th, 7th, and 19th. Mean pressure for this month was nearly ·15 inch above the average.

Unsettled westerly weather during the first three weeks of July accompanied a series of depressions of moderate intensity. Cold south-easterly winds, followed with a week or so of unsettled showery weather in southern and eastern parts and hard frosts in the north-west. Mean pressure for July was nearly one-tenth of an inch below normal, and for August approximately ·15 inch below. Another spell of unsettled north-westerly to westerly weather, with fluctuating barometers, occurred during the first three weeks of August. Some snow fell at times on the highlands, and moderate rains at intervals, more particularly over northern and western districts. Severe thunderstorms were reported from the West Coast on the 16th. A week of finer weather, with many frosts, was followed towards the close of the month by a recurrence of low-pressure conditions and milder temperatures.

The spring months—September, October, and November—were marked by spells of fine weather with little rain. Depressions were of little intensity, and high barometer readings occurred at times. Mean pressure values for these months were from ·1 to ·15 inch above the average. In September the only depression of any considerable intensity brought the one good rain of the month—on the 22nd-23rd. This was followed by a heavy fall of snow, which extended to coastal stations in the north west, with rough westerly to southerly weather. Some rather warm days were experienced during October and November, but a cold snap on the 21st-22nd October marked the development of an intense "high," and severe frosts occurred in parts of the north and Midlands. Dry conditions were relieved by a good rain on the 26th-27th October.

After a long period of dry weather, broken only by a few showers at times, much relief was afforded by a good rain on the 2nd-3rd December. Rainfall totals for this month were over average, except in the west and parts of the south. The Midlands received between two and three times the normal December rainfall, and the east and parts of the north more than twice the average. Mean temperatures were approximately 1 degree above normal. Some warm weather occurred about the middle of the month, followed by a severe thunderstorm at Hobart on the 17th, and a good general rain next day. Showery conditions were experienced in the first week, and the Christmas holidays were cool, with unsettled weather, particularly in the south and west; otherwise chiefly fine, and bright conditions prevailed, with relatively high barometers.

The rainfall during the year for the various districts, as reported by telegraph, is summarised in the following table:—

District.	Mean District Rainfall, 1927.	Average for previous years.	Percentage departure from normal.
	in.	in.	%
Northern	32·47	38·96	17 below normal
West Coast	65·94	78·06	16 " "
Central Plateau	32·63	35·66	8 " "
Derwent Valley	16·65	21·61	23 " "
Midlands	17·29	21·75	20 " "
East Coast	24·46	29·93	18 " "
South East	19·07	25·13	24 " "
Flinders Island	17·34	26·38	34 " "

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Stations.	Rainfall Year 1927.	Number of Wet Days	No. of Years' Records.	Annual Average (Previous Years).
	inches			inches.
NORTHERN DIVISION.				
Coastal.				
Riana	40·51	..	8	50·32
Cape Grim	30·04	186	38	36·15
Marrawah	42·17	237	20	46·60
Irishtown	36·52	160	20	51·62
Black River	28·02	166	39	38·58
Smithton	34·04	..	15	42·29
Stanley	28·52	182	44	34·66
Detention River	34·02	..	10	44·42
Moorleah	32·85	125	19	49·41
Yolla	45·08	143	21	59·17
Elliott	34·39	127	12	43·79
Wynyard	32·01	163	20	40·84
Burnie	30·17	149	41	38·62
Ridgley	39·42	132	17	46·20
Ulverstone	28·95	93	25	38·23
Kindred	37·89	140	20	44·51
Spreyton	30·63	112	12	35·72
Devonport	28·02	98	23	35·76
Latrobe	30·32	118	25	37·18
Northdown	24·38	72	31	29·56
Beaconsfield	29·91	108	19	34·67
Clarence Point	26·37	108	12	32·98
Low Head	24·12	130	44	26·78
Lefroy	30·51	87	14	33·57
Bridport	24·63	122	14	29·82
Inland.				
Middlesex Plains	86·11	190	9	75·81
Hampshire Hills	56·65	192	13	62·48
Gunn's Plains	..	..	23	53·93
Moina	62·90	216	16	68·35
Lorinna	..	..	13	70·70
Liena	..	..	12	56·52
Mole Creek	45·92	116	12	45·82
Central Castra	38·20	106	35	49·91
Wilmot	40·30	78	16	48·90
Sheffield	36·06	129	19	45·86
Railton	37·38	87	10	41·97
Kimberley	..	..	10	37·29
Parkham	35·32	130	10	38·43
Moltema	33·55	90	12	40·27
Deloraine	30·78	106	41	36·33
Caveside	35·30	106	21	41·38
Golden Valley	36·68	108	10	38·32
Liffey	42·60	111	11	44·29
Cressy	23·46	129	28	23·32
Westbury	28·86	117	26	31·80
Carrick	25·74	95	20	26·96
Longford	20·04	95	32	24·60
Woolmer's Settlement	20·30	90	11	24·62
Ridgeside	19·14	97	28	24·43
Launceston	23·17	125	41	28·04
Newnham	25·58	103	11	26·86
Frankford	36·72	99	33	41·32
Gravelly Beach	30·74	90	17	33·51
Glengarry	37·91	105	28	39·73
Selbourne	32·55	78	9	32·66
Lilydale	34·25	103	23	37·79
St. Patrick's River	59·07	125	19	52·60
Jetsonville	39·27	143	9	41·60
Scottsdale	39·57	131	41	42·87
Springfield	46·57	141	22	53·96
Springfield South	..	..	14	56·60
Branxholm	42·05	79	18	47·08
Ringarooma	42·06	97	29	48·89
Perth	..	..	10	24·15
WEST COAST.				
Mountain Region				
Surrey Hills	74·75	182	10	81·45
Balfour	75·73	215	17	76·81
Magnet	77·35	216	18	88·73
Waratah	77·27	227	42	85·99
Que	81·94	228	16	81·93
Tullah	..	..	13	81·03
Rosebery	65·49	..	14	83·71
Renison Bell	78·35	217	15	90·71
Zeehan	81·46	225	35	97·81
Granville Harbour	..	..	9	59·52
Koyule	48·11	189	10	64·80
Lake Margaret	133·61	242	14	146·06
Mt. Lyell	106·32	221	32	116·67
Queenstown	90·57	213	20	100·22
Pieman Heads	47·99	197	9	46·19
Crotty	104·56	194	9	120·11
Strahan	56·33	..	22	64·13
Regatta Point	59·27	179	19	66·78
Cape Sorell	39·10	216	27	50·38
North Heemskirk	..	..	9	87·04
CENTRAL PLATEAU.				
Cradle Valley	111·70	292	9	107·08
Upper Arthur Lakes	25·72	..	8	32·02
Miena	29·56	166	33	32·48
Wihareja	30·37	..	14	30·76
Bronte	35·70	157	16	39·04
Hermitage	15·53	99	12	24·35
Steppes	25·75	112	15	27·53
Dog's Head	20·45	..	15	32·97
Interlaken	..	..	18	28·04
Wood's Quoin	22·20	101	15	28·37
Lake Crescent	23·62	..	6	30·51
DERWENT VALLEY.				
Hartfield	16·19	..	11	23·10
Strickland	..	..	13	30·86
Osterley	26·45	178	15	28·27
Cluny	17·80	..	13	22·72
Bothwell	16·22	150	37	21·57
Bothwell (Priory)	15·97	134	11	23·05
Cleveland	28·05	165	16	32·88
Hamilton	15·85	143	41	19·60
Ellendale	27·84	129	26	38·53
Tyenna	39·67	261	15	43·94
Glenora (Bushy Park)	19·64	151	53	23·08
Plenty	..	..	23	19·64
Clarendon	15·11	122	26	19·13
New Norfolk	18·13	126	36	22·19
Uxbridge	26·77	..	26	34·49
Cawood (Ouse)	19·05	118	10	21·83
National Park	28·51	..	10	33·73
SOUTH-EASTERN				
Grasmere	21·23	137	12	27·60
Robeville	22·42	171	13	26·74
Adventure Bay	38·75	147	16	41·79
Lunawanna	..	..	19	31·89
South Bruny	25·49	212	55	37·37
Hythe	29·72	184	40	39·43
Lymington South	25·23	139	19	30·35
Geeveston	32·07	178	11	37·06
Petchey's Bay	27·18	165	20	31·03
Kettering	..	..	18	35·29
The Snug	25·86	71	10	33·09
Franklin	31·23	207	31	35·08
Grove	..	..	11	31·55
Kingston	17·60	128	16	25·60
Mt. Nelson	20·00	139	55	25·71
Mt. Wellington (Gap)	..	..	19	56·11
The Springs	46·22	204	33	58·82
Fern Tree	45·28	220	11	55·53
Hobart Observatory	20·13	185	84	23·84
Hobart Botanical Gardens	15·95	127	45	22·21
Hobart Waterworks	26·88	160	29	34·04
New Town	19·16	156	36	25·44
Glenorchy	20·37	162	28	26·53
Lindisfarne	13·19	97	19	19·75
Bellerive	17·37	181	30	22·32
Rokeby	15·66	125	43	21·24
Sandford	15·84	88	39	22·82
Premaydena	27·06	118	20	29·03
Nubeena	28·63	205	12	32·01
Carnarvon	36·12	200	45	40·48

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Stations	Rainfall Year 1927.	Number of Wet Days.	No. of Years' Records.	Annual Average (Previous years).
	inches.			inches.
Eaglehawk Neck	..	..	14	35·14
Cambridge	14·76	124	36	20·43
Sorell	15·24	115	39	22·06
Richmond	13·65	91	6	21·53
Richmond (Brooksbank)	13·03	88	12	21·39
Compton	15·50	142	13	21·66
Mt. Nassau	12·79	58	18	21·03
Mangalore	13·85	65	28	19·21
Bagdad	17·55	104	38	24·17
Broadmarsh	17·49	..	19	22·37
Kempton	14·91	114	32	19·59
Apsley	15·28	86	12	22·36
Colebrook	17·74	94	15	24·08
Levendale	..	..	10	30·20
MIDLAND.				
Spring Hill	13·20	72	26	20·69
Jericho	12·99	88	19	20·09
Mt. Seymour	16·30	118	21	24·40
Handroyd (York Plains)	19·06	142	10	22·59
Oatlands	19·79	177	40	21·94
Bow Hill	19·14	..	15	26·00
Andover	17·47	80	26	23·29
Woodbury	13·73	106	17	17·98
Ross (Roseneath)	15·20	61	11	19·83
Campbell Town (Quorn Hall)	16·79	127	37	20·54
Campbell Town (Institute)	17·25	..	10	23·47
View Point	19·34	78	13	23·92
EAST COAST.				
Nugent	25·71	82	10	29·62
Kellevie	24·30	118	18	33·96
Bream Creek	25·23	98	5	28·19
Brockley	18·15	98	18	25·27
Orford	18·82	91	11	26·04
Carrick Fergus Bay	..	..	6	21·30
Triabunna	20·26	..	26	26·24
Lisdillon	17·89	63	14	22·40
Kelvedon	23·58	73	43	25·20
Swansea	21·19	127	42	24·00
Riversdale	20·15	..	25	23·40
Lake Leake	25·19	108	34	31·85
Cranbrook	22·27	67	23	25·42
Bicheno	24·88	77	10	18·70
Avoca	13·17	63	29	19·97
Ormley	14·86	65	39	22·34

Stations.	Rainfall Year 1927.	Number of Wet Days.	No. of Years' Records.	Annual Average (Previous years.)
	inches.			inches.
Chain of Lagoons	28·11	..	14	29·68
Fingal	17·95	77	43	24·18
Mangana	25·33	..	10	30·32
Cullenswood	26·88	80	32	31·14
St. Marys	28·14	..	21	38·46
Tower Hill	30·51	118	17	33·91
Mathinna	27·48	112	35	31·02
Scamander	22·31	104	27	24·76
St. Helens	24·88	131	36	29·46
Gould's Country	39·23	154	40	47·37
Lottah	63·42	166	24	67·11
Upper Cascade	..	..	5	62·39
Intake	67·58	153	16	69·35
Frome Dam	36·93	125	18	44·30
Bradshaw's Creek	30·93	119	24	37·79
Eddystone Point	21·32	154	18	29·59
Gladstone	29·96	160	10	33·80
Boobyalla	21·83	120	37	24·25
KING ISLAND.				
Monk Breton	31·34	177	17	40·74
Yambacoona	24·11	150	25	31·17
Naracoopa	30·48	158	14	38·18
Surprise Bay	26·71	180	17	35·35
Currie Harbour	25·15	200	17	34·17
Benhilton	27·64	270	14	34·66
Fernlea	38·89	152	8	42·76
FLINDERS ISLAND.				
The Hermitage	21·19	194	16	26·60
Wingaroo	20·87	142	10	30·84
Lughrata	19·39	139	13	28·69
Thule	21·80	123	27	29·85
Whitemark	21·25	107	16	27·81
Lady Barron	..	..	13	29·36
Emita	17·34	161	11	26·38
MARIA ISLAND.				
Darlington	..	..	12	25·52
OTHER ISLANDS.				
Kent Group (Deal Island	18·96	143	54	27·02
Goose Island	18·12	150	52	22·81
Cape Barren Island	23·25	154	21	28·26
Swan Island	19·18	140	50	23·72
Maatsuyker Island	33·92	255	32	44·14
Hunter Island	..	..	10	34·44

RAINFALL IN HOBART (BY MONTHS) SINCE 1913.

	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925	1926.	1927.	Average (84 yrs).
	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.
January	1·38	0·24	0·17	5·2[illegible]	1·68	0·99	2·05	1·00	2·18	2·61	2·23	5·43	2·02	1·51	1·11	1·84
February	0·31	0·11	2·18	2·0[illegible]	2·07	1·80	1·51	0·25	1·08	2·55	0·73	3·39	1·33	1·42	2·98	1·46
March	1·91	1·25	2·43	0·3[illegible]	2·06	1·38	5·86	1·78	0·77	0·65	3·19	2·62	2·29	0·77	1·44	1·70
April	2·15	3·05	2·40	4·3[illegible]	4·17	1·99	1·09	1·04	1·43	2·01	0·13	2·49	1·95	1·97	0·52	1·87
May	0·14	0·97	2·35	1·2[illegible]	2·31	2·41	0·76	2·17	1·23	0·62	4·54	0·79	3·43	2·62	2·87	1·89
June	1·26	0·33	1·57	2·56	3·35	1·97	3·28	2·41	1·55	1·85	3·51	2·78	2·41	4·52	1·16	2·24
July	1·49	2·57	0·62	4·58	2·74	3·20	2·20	0·77	4·47	6·02	1·34	0·90	3·06	1·63	2·30	2·18
August	1·44	1·16	1·33	2·93	2·30	3·53	1·20	1·13	2·52	2·06	1·61	1·83	1·60	1·89	1·19	1·84
September	1·92	1·00	1·27	2·88	3·76	2·60	1·19	1·79	0·96	0·71	3·08	1·69	0·62	1·87	1·09	2·08
October	1·94	0·39	3·83	2·46	2·79	3·13	1·82	0·88	0·94	3·12	3·58	2·65	1·67	5·38	1·43	2·28
November	3·67	1·66	2·55	7·07	2·50	1·23	0·35	1·69	0·33	0·82	6·82	3·24	0·73	0·89	1·31	2·48
December	1·75	2·69	0·21	7·72	0·89	1·81	1·17	3·09	0·58	5·25	2·17	0·95	1·56	1·32	2·73	1·98
Total	19·36	15·42	20·91	43·39	30·62	26·04	22·48	18·00	18·04	28·27	32·93	28·76	22·67	25·79	20·13	23·84

MONTHLY DISTRIBUTION OF RAINFALL, 1927.

District.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.
	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.
Cape Grim	0·54	2·03	1·42	0·95	4·38	3·00	5·02	5·84	2·42	1·54	0·54	2·36	30·04
Black River	1·04	1·80	0·82	0·49	3·26	2·82	4·58	5·26	2·39	2·95	0·67	1·94	28·02
Stanley	0·75	2·13	1·02	0·66	3·13	3·09	4·75	5·02	2·54	3·05	0·72	1·66	28·52
Burnie	1·39	2·13	1·39	0·32	3·65	3·26	4·30	5·71	2·55	2·82	1·02	1·63	30·17
Ulverstone	1·32	1·86	1·39	0·12	3·22	2·38	4·09	6·34	3·12	2·43	0·83	1·85	28·95
Latrobe	1·93	1·81	1·41	0·22	3·92	2·51	3·72	6·03	2·36	2·41	0·38	3·62	30·32
Northdown	2·20	1·20	1·40	0·03	2·98	1·76	3·02	4·48	2·13	2·41	0·46	2·31	24·38
Low Head	1·94	1·71	2·22	0·14	2·37	2·55	2·44	4·03	1·58	1·43	0·82	2·89	24·12
Central Castra	1·80	2·24	1·76	0·10	4·76	4·67	4·63	7·88	3·28	4·01	0·67	2·40	38·20
Deloraine	1·33	3·19	1·35	0·27	3·77	2·77	3·57	5·72	1·41	2·78	0·63	3·99	30·78
Cressy	1·18	2·23	0·80	0·13	2·21	1·90	2·57	3·87	1·49	1·77	0·78	4·53	23·46
Westbury	1·36	2·99	1·42	0·21	2·96	2·31	3·45	5·17	2·07	2·43	0·52	3·97	28·86
Longford	1·39	1·79	0·85	0·10	2·05	1·41	2·37	3·61	1·10	1·48	0·33	3·56	20·04
Ridgeside	0·85	2·11	0·69	0·05	2·08	1·35	2·02	2·82	1·09	1·16	0·57	4·35	19·14
Launceston	1·32	2·47	1·35	0·08	2·64	1·55	2·52	3·97	1·36	1·42	0·48	4·01	23·17
Frankford	1·37	3·26	2·49	0·42	3·84	3·33	4·81	6·61	2·70	2·57	0·95	4·37	36·72
Glengarry	1·76	3·07	1·91	0·24	4·01	3·55	4·17	7·36	2·47	2·74	2·10	4·53	37·91
Scottsdale	1·79	3·19	2·26	0·28	5·63	2·03	4·49	8·21	2·50	2·05	1·03	6·11	39·57
Ringarooma	1·90	4·23	1·94	0·39	6·30	2·37	5·21	8·08	2·68	2·38	1·21	5·37	42·06
Waratah	3·11	5·53	3·74	2·99	13·26	7·81	9·99	12·31	5·01	6·83	2·71	3·98	77·27
Zeehan	3·49	6·45	5·13	5·56	14·15	6·17	9·71	12·21	6·41	5·27	2·64	4·27	81·46
Mount Lyell	6·78	9·71	7·60	8·63	18·03	7·07	11·31	12·77	7·32	6·17	6·06	4·87	106·32
Cape Sorell	1·50	2·99	3·46	2·69	5·04	2·84	5·02	5·64	3·41	2·14	0·96	3·41	39·10
Miena	1·40	1·81	0·97	0·64	3·43	4·17	4·02	5·43	1·66	2·03	0·89	3·11	29·56
Bothwell	0·98	0·57	1·37	0·36	2·50	1·21	1·96	1·64	1·16	1·31	1·09	2·07	16·22
Hamilton	0·82	0·85	1·28	0·11	2·00	1·22	1·46	1·95	2·08	1·34	0·97	1·77	15·85
Ellendale	1·49	1·20	1·64	1·09	4·57	3·07	2·94	1·66	2·47	2·27	2·24	3·20	27·84
Glenora (Bushy Park)	0·98	1·75	1·59	0·33	2·99	1·83	2·12	1·94	1·33	1·30	1·37	2·11	19·64
Clarendon	0·68	0·84	1·13	0·20	2·13	1·33	1·72	1·58	1·19	1·29	1·10	1·92	15·11
New Norfolk	0·73	1·95	1·46	0·19	3·25	1·51	1·98	1·72	0·70	1·41	1·14	2·09	18·13
Uxbridge	1·24	2·10	2·37	0·69	5·24	2·57	3·63	2·67	1·23	1·09	1·67	2·27	26·77
South Bruny	0·88	2·38	2·07	1·49	3·39	2·93	2·87	2·33	1·60	2·08	1·60	1·87	25·49
Hythe	0·29	1·57	1·00	1·25	5·88	3·64	3·39	3·51	1·78	2·35	2·13	2·93	29·72
Franklin	1·54	3·91	1·87	0·84	6·15	3·11	4·05	2·55	1·45	2·01	1·56	2·19	31·23
Hobart	1·11	2·98	1·44	0·52	2·87	1·16	2·30	1·19	1·09	1·43	1·31	2·73	20·13
New Town	1·15	2·29	1·15	0·34	2·76	1·20	2·45	1·34	1·07	1·34	1·23	2·84	19·16
Glenorchy	0·92	1·68	1·20	0·37	3·77	1·48	2·85	2·03	0·92	1·19	1·18	2·78	20·37
Bellerive	1·40	2·29	1·37	0·48	2·01	1·11	1·64	1·08	1·13	1·52	1·26	2·08	17·37
Rokeby	0·91	2·16	1·19	0·48	2·03	1·06	1·16	1·16	0·98	1·34	1·15	2·04	15·66
Sandford	0·75	1·69	1·18	0·52	2·17	0·99	1·19	1·18	1·06	1·92	0·82	2·37	15·84
Carnarvon	0·92	1·69	3·08	2·25	5·09	4·03	2·99	3·99	2·48	3·04	1·65	4·91	36·12
Cambridge	0·67	1·68	1·27	0·63	1·75	0·81	0·94	1·19	0·73	1·84	1·21	2·04	14·76
Sorell	0·78	1·94	1·16	0·46	1·75	0·77	1·20	1·03	0·70	1·39	1·33	2·73	15·24
Mangalore	0·84	1·20	0·94	0·08	1·84	0·82	1·53	0·92	0·54	1·70	1·37	2·07	13·85
Richmond	0·92	2·16	1·00	0·29	1·95	0·70	0·93	0·81	0·38	1·40	1·03	2·08	13·65
Bagdad	1·29	0·88	1·48	0·17	2·61	1·18	2·19	1·56	0·86	2·03	1·21	2·09	17·55
Kempton	0·79	0·97	1·45	0·24	2·04	0·69	1·62	1·69	1·13	1·34	1·39	1·56	14·91
Spring Hill	0·96	0·54	1·25	0·37	1·88	0·89	1·55	1·11	0·76	0·91	0·81	2·17	13·20
Oatlands	0·84	0·86	1·58	0·64	2·15	1·58	2·46	1·71	0·83	0·98	1·04	5·12	19·79
Andover	0·48	0·94	1·60	0·37	2·14	0·97	2·49	1·17	0·84	1·12	0·97	4·38	17·47
Roseneath (Ross)	0·48	1·35	1·02	0·04	1·33	0·96	1·64	1·73	0·49	1·09	0·37	4·70	15·20
Campbell Town (Quorn Hall)	0·46	1·31	0·95	0·18	1·25	1·09	2·23	1·86	0·91	0·95	0·53	5·07	16·79
Triabunna	1·14	0·59	2·24	0·74	1·06	0·61	2·26	1·09	1·44	1·36	1·19	6·54	20·26
Kelvedon	1·62	0·34	3·19	0·73	1·51	0·48	3·51	1·53	1·51	1·38	3·71	4·07	23·58
Swansea	1·29	0·50	3·54	0·74	1·27	0·37	3·18	1·71	1·20	1·43	2·15	3·81	21·19
Lake Leake	0·87	1·13	1·43	0·84	2·49	0·97	5·47	2·65	1·75	1·60	1·51	4·48	25·19
Avoca	0·75	1·03	1·02	0·22	0·72	1·29	0·95	2·36	1·45	0·45	0·60	2·33	13·17
Ormley	0·53	0·54	1·37	0·63	0·72	0·84	3·03	1·94	1·33	0·82	0·75	2·36	14·86
Fingal	1·13	0·82	1·16	0·65	1·19	0·88	2·38	2·95	1·60	1·14	0·43	3·62	17·95
Cullenswood	2·08	0·74	1·58	1·99	0·94	0·88	4·09	5·65	3·04	1·89	0·85	3·15	26·88
Mathinna	1·46	2·08	1·94	0·79	2·14	1·62	2·98	5·37	2·08	1·97	0·92	4·13	27·48
Scamander	2·93	0·66	1·28	1·31	0·98	0·81	3·13	2·71	2·43	1·19	1·59	3·29	22·31
St. Helens	3·61	0·83	1·31	0·84	1·64	0·84	3·92	2·48	2·82	1·47	1·99	3·13	24·88
Gould's Country	4·35	2·25	3·29	1·37	3·47	1·79	4·29	5·66	3·38	3·19	2·19	4·00	39·23
Boobyalla	2·10	1·29	1·69	0·23	2·46	1·53	2·00	4·04	1·86	1·60	0·61	2·42	21·83
Thule (Flinders Is.)	0·70	1·81	0·75	0·84	3·64	1·06	3·30	2·87	1·73	1·94	1·46	1·70	21·80
Kent Group	0·46	0·70	0·95	0·67	2·87	1·52	3·41	2·34	1·21	1·27	1·80	1·76	18·96
Goose Is.	0·73	0·69	1·14	0·58	2·05	0·94	3·52	2·89	1·27	1·75	1·05	1·51	18·12
Swan Is.	1·69	0·89	3·61	0·30	1·91	0·87	2·52	2·54	1·13	1·24	1·01	1·47	19·18
Maatsuyker Is.	2·03	3·80	2·41	2·06	4·10	2·99	4·03	2·69	3·24	2·41	1·48	2·68	33·92

AVERAGE MONTHLY DISTRIBUTION OF RAINFALL.

(AVERAGE to end of Year 1922.)

District.	No. of Years Record.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
		in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.
Cape Grim	34	1·64	1·47	2·05	2·85	3·58	4·72	4·50	4·03	3·34	3·10	2·16	2·32	35·76
Black River	35	1·73	1·39	2·34	2·99	3·74	4·88	4·81	4·16	3·99	3·70	2·40	2·74	38·87
Stanley	40	1·58	1·43	2·02	2·69	3·41	4·33	4·18	3·62	3·24	3·16	2·21	2·42	34·29
Burnie	39	1·91	1·39	2·12	3·07	3·53	5·08	4·68	4·15	3·85	3·68	2·41	2·57	38·44
Ulverstone	21	1·62	1·55	2·03	2·74	3·53	5·56	4·82	3·74	4·20	3·87	2·64	2·16	38·46
Latrobe	22	1·71	1·30	1·69	2·63	4·06	5·48	4 55	4·28	3·84	3·19	2·31	2·61	37·65
Northdown	27	1·70	0·93	1·73	2·41	2·72	4·01	3·40	3·13	2·87	2·63	1·71	1·92	29·16
Low Head	40	1·59	1·10	1·83	2·09	2·52	3·67	2·97	2·57	2·55	2·41	1·63	1·71	26·64
Central Castra	31	2·46	1·96	2·93	3·44	4·94	6·88	5·91	5·56	5·11	4·51	3·28	2·82	49·80
Deloraine	37	2·09	1·58	2·15	2·55	3·19	4·37	4·20	4·00	3·77	3·41	2·31	2·53	36·15
Cressy	24	1·48	1·24	1·46	1·62	2·22	2·60	2·48	2·10	2·29	2·35	1·36	1·63	22·83
Westbury	22	1·69	1·67	1·91	2·22	3·08	3·79	3·53	3·00	3·32	3·16	1·97	2·10	31·44
Longford	28	1·57	1·26	1·62	1·82	2·17	2·91	2·52	2·25	2·34	2·53	1·64	1·91	24·54
Ridgeside	24	1·53	1·13	1·47	1·69	2·21	2·85	2·52	2·29	2·53	2·57	1·59	1·79	24·17
Launceston	37	1·83	1·12	1·69	2·05	2·63	3·47	3·08	2·75	2·94	2·67	1·79	2·02	28·04
Frankford	29	2·25	1·49	2·32	3·16	4·13	5·53	5·25	4·47	4·24	3·63	2·23	2·43	41·13
Glengarry	24	2·06	1·83	2·30	2·81	3·83	5·49	4·74	4·39	3·95	3·75	2·29	2·23	39·67
Scottsdale	37	2·59	1·71	2·62	3·39	3·99	5·81	5·17	4·17	4·23	4·09	2·50	2·72	42·99
Ringarooma	25	2·62	1·79	3·20	3·65	4·40	7·10	5·81	5·24	4·92	4·58	2·70	2·87	48·88
Waratah	38	4·37	3·40	5·26	6·94	7·77	9·51	9·48	9·18	8·83	8·30	6·71	5·92	85·67
Zeehan	31	5·62	4·04	6·21	9·08	9·33	9·87	10·45	9·81	9·03	9·26	7·77	6·76	97·23
Mount Lyell	28	7·44	5·14	8·58	11·12	10·42	10·26	10·88	10·44	10·55	10·96	10·81	8·84	115·44
Cape Sorell	23	2·83	2·21	3·26	4·58	4·83	6·27	5·80	5·39	4·41	4·30	3·40	3·18	50·46
Miena	29	1·98	1·72	2·03	2·53	2·90	3·35	3·09	3·13	3·02	3·51	2·43	2·51	32·20
Bothwell	33	1·91	1·15	1·62	2·13	1·53	2·03	1·82	1·39	1·69	2·08	1·72	2·04	21·11
Hamilton	37	1·75	1·07	1·39	1·63	1·45	1·84	1·64	1·42	1·74	2·02	1·59	1·75	19·29
Ellendale	22	2·67	1·67	2·58	3·79	3·18	3·74	3·27	3·46	4·07	4·14	3·29	3·14	39·00
Glenora (Bushy Park)	49	1·86	1·26	1·63	1·80	1·80	2·09	1·84	1·92	2·03	2·33	2·26	2·12	22·94
Clarendon	22	1·48	1·12	1·41	1·83	1·43	1·83	1·67	1·35	1·63	1·99	1·44	1·86	19·04
New Norfolk	32	1·81	1·21	1·52	1·90	1·59	2·15	1·86	1·61	1·95	2·37	1·86	2·09	21·92
Uxbridge	22	2·20	1·65	2·49	3·43	2·70	3·26	3·17	2·80	3·27	3·44	2·79	2·98	34·18
South Bruny	51	2·60	2·15	2·95	3·26	3·51	3·61	3·71	3·52	3·15	3·25	3·04	3·04	37·79
Hythe	36	2·79	1·99	3·14	3·81	3·19	4·21	3·84	3·41	3·34	3·74	3·15	2·82	39·43
Franklin	27	2·62	1·77	2·40	2·74	2·53	3·48	2·90	3·08	3·35	3·41	2·92	2·94	34·14
Hobart	80	1·79	1·45	1·68	1·88	1·84	2·19	2·20	1·84	2·10	2·22	2·46	2·00	23·65
New Town	32	2·19	1·43	1·89	2·29	1·97	2·43	2·33	1·81	2·07	2·58	1·85	2·30	25·14
Glenorchy	24	2·03	1·51	1·92	2·48	1·73	2·59	2·46	1 81	2·34	2·88	1·93	2·31	25·99
Bellerive	26	1·99	1·39	1·89	2·06	1·68	2·01	1·90	1·39	1·83	2·15	1·60	1·96	21·85
Rokeby	39	2·14	1·40	1·60	1·82	1·81	2·09	1·74	1·40	1·62	1·99	1·78	1·91	21·30
Sandford	35	1·85	1·56	1·81	2·35	1·71	2·46	1·91	1·60	1·73	2·12	1·60	2·00	22·70
Carnarvon	40	2·55	2·16	3·32	3·62	3·69	4·69	4·16	3·66	3·03	3·21	2·98	2·98	40·05
Cambridge	32	1·64	1·30	1·59	1·99	1·73	1·88	1·70	1·42	1·34	2·04	1·30	2·03	19·96
Sorell	35	1·84	1·38	1·67	2·16	1·86	2·03	1·84	1·49	1·71	2·10	1·53	2·18	21·79
Richmond	37	2·02	1·41	1·72	1·87	1·54	2·07	1·71	1·44	1·57	2·00	1·71	2·08	21·14
Mangalore	24	1·71	1·21	1·45	1·87	1·32	1·73	1·63	1·17	1·56	2·05	1·27	2·01	18·98
Bagdad	34	2·18	1·45	1·82	2.20	1·80	2·42	2·02	1·71	1·81	2·40	1·73	2·36	23·90
Kempton	28	1·69	1·17	1·46	1.85	1·45	1·94	1·63	1·30	1·50	1·91	1·39	1·85	19·14
Spring Hill	22	1·74	1·36	1·50	2·06	1·37	2·20	1·66	1·12	1·63	2·23	1·35	2·21	20·43
Oatlands	36	2·00	1·44	1·63	1·75	1·67	2·30	1·54	1·60	1·76	2·10	1·71	2·12	21·62
Andover	22	2·00	1·77	1·64	1·92	1·73	2·36	1·81	1·52	1·93	2·23	1·59	2·55	23·05
Beaufront (Ross)	35	1·71	1·09	1·25	1·49	1·57	1·80	1·34	1·38	1·51	1·83	1·31	1·76	18·04
Bendemeer	24	1·97	1·65	1·76	2·13	2·28	2·97	2·39	2·66	2·57	2·90	1·58	2·40	27·26
Campbell Town (Quorn Hall)	33	1·89	1·17	1·33	1·70	1·61	1·98	1·61	1·60	1·90	2·16	1·50	1·91	20·36
Triabunna	22	2·07	1·84	2·51	2·25	1·81	2·52	1·97	1·47	2·05	2·24	1·68	2·98	25·39
Kelvedon	39	2·45	1·49	2·19	1·99	1·86	2·81	2·18	1·75	1·89	2·26	1·96	2·28	25·11
Swansea	38	2·18	1·40	1·95	2·03	1·75	2·93	2·45	1·75	1·78	2·09	1·84	2·09	24·24
Lake Leake	30	2·36	1·57	2·46	2·71	2·76	4·00	3·32	2·53	2·62	2·89	2·01	2·53	31·76
Avoca	25	1·36	1·10	1·18	1·58	1·58	2·32	1·70	1·82	1·65	2·09	1·39	1·75	19·52
Ormley	53	1·80	1·17	1·62	1·86	2·01	2·63	2·12	2·01	2·10	2·12	1·93	1·79	23·16
Fingal	39	1·90	1·47	1·73	2·01	1·85	3·39	2·22	2·21	2·04	2·22	1·58	1·59	24·21
Cullenswood	28	1·99	1·99	2·83	2·33	2·60	4·26	2·74	3·07	2·38	2·27	1·54	2·11	30·11
Mathinna	31	1·91	1·39	2·71	2·15	2·52	4·00	3·19	3·20	2·63	2·93	1·47	2·18	30·28
Scamander	23	2·22	1·49	2·66	1·85	2·18	2·71	2·17	1·74	2·13	2·00	1·33	1·83	24 31
St. Helens	32	2·29	1·81	2·82	2·34	2·25	3·85	2·81	2·51	2·52	2·49	1·64	1·92	29·25
Gould's Country	36	3·29	2·62	4·11	3·53	3·98	6·19	4·43	4·87	4·22	4·20	3·10	3·20	47·74
Boobyalla	33	1·34	1·10	1·68	1·78	2·30	3·11	2·59	2·41	2·26	2·23	1·52	1·66	23·98
Thule (Flinders Island)	23	1·92	1·13	2·80	2·51	2·68	3·97	3·04	2·64	2·74	2·49	1·64	2·08	29·64
Kent Group	50	1·68	1·23	2·09	2·31	2·69	3·26	2·76	2·55	2·46	2·29	1·77	1·77	26·86
Goose Island	48	1·40	0·94	2·44	2·35	2·74	4·16	3·15	2·61	2·76	2·49	1·52	2·05	28·61
Swan Island	47	1·53	1·02	1·77	1·93	2·56	2·93	2·41	2·34	2·00	2·22	1·49	1·64	23·84
Maatsuyker Island	28	2·85	2·01	3·39	4·53	4·27	4·45	4·51	4·30	3·53	3·89	3·71	3·08	44·52

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS, MADE AT

Month.	Barometer.						Temperature.													
	Corrected to 32° F. M.S.L. and Latitude 45°.			Mean of 9 a.m. & 3 p.m.	Highest.	Lowest.	9 a.m.			3 p.m.			9 p.m.			Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Mean Diurnal Range.	Solar Maximum.
	9 a.m.	3 p.m.	9 p.m.				Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Humidity (mean).	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Humidity (mean).	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Humidity (mean).					
	Mean. In.	Mean. In.	Mean. In.	In.	In.	In.	Mean °	Mean °	%	Mean °	Mean °	%	Mean °	Mean °	%	Mean °	Mean °	°	°	Mean °
Jan.	29·916	29·876	29·921	29·896	30·323	29·333	62·5	54·5	56	65·4	56·7	55	57·8	52·7	70	70·4	53·0	61·7	17·4	128·2
Feb. ...	29·849	39·801	29·870	29·825	30·300	28·876	61·3	53·7	58	66·5	56·4	49	57·1	51·9	69	70·8	51·6	61·2	19·2	126·5
March ...	29·953	29·902	29·952	29·928	30·429	29·263	55·9	50·7	68	60·6	53·1	57	53·3	48·9	71	63·6	49·1	56·4	14·5	112·0
April ...	30·077	30·030	30·085	30·054	30·594	29·543	53·4	48·4	67	56·6	50·1	60	51·3	47·1	71	60·5	47·2	53·8	13·3	106·1
May.....	29·876	29·827	29·889	29·852	30·543	29·003	48·9	44·4	67	54·1	47·4	57	48·0	44·3	72	56·7	44·3	50·5	12·4	90·4
June	30·119	30·067	30·094	30·093	30·562	29·232	42·3	39·4	75	48·0	43·4	65	43·3	40·3	75	50·4	38·7	44·6	11·7	81·1
July.....	29·870	29·814	29·849	29·842	30·294	29·190	44·7	41·9	78	49·3	44·8	68	44·9	42·1	78	51·6	41·3	46·4	10·2	81·2
August.	29·800	29·759	29·811	29·780	30·263	29·078	46·7	42·7	70	52·1	46·4	61	45·2	41·8	73	54·3	41·2	47·8	13·1	90·0
Sept. ...	30·125	30·059	30·112	30·092	30·491	29·190	50·2	45·4	66	55·6	48·6	57	47·7	44·3	75	58·9	42·8	50·8	16·1	106·1
October	29·984	29·920	30·000	29·952	30·510	29·387	55·1	48·2	57	60·8	51·1	46	51·3	46·4	66	63·7	46·4	55·0	17·3	117·9
Nov.....	299·68	29·922	29·974	29·945	30·350	29·316	58·8	51·1	55	61·9	53·3	53	53·8	49·3	70	66·6	48·0	57·3	18·6	128·0
Dec.	29·885	29·840	29·904	29·862	30·324	29·256	63·1	54·9	56	65·3	57·2	59	57·5	53·0	72	70·3	52·7	61·5	17·6	125·2
Mean Years	29·952	29·901	29·955	29·927	...	...	53·6	47·9	63	58·0	50·7	57	50·9	46·9	72	61·5	46·4	53·9	15·1	107·7
Departure from Average of Previous Years. ...	+·034	+·031	+·033	+·033	...	...	—0·6	—1·3	-4	—1·2	—1·5	-2	—1·0	—1·2	-2	—0·8	—0·1	—0·5	—0·7	—5·1
Totals ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Extremes	...	...	...	...	30·594	28·876	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

RAINFALL IN TASMANIA, 1927—*continued.*

Stations	Rainfall Year 1927.	Number of Wet Days.	No. of Years' Records.	Annual Average (Previous years).
	inches.			inches.
Eaglehawk Neck	..	..	14	35·14
Cambridge	14·76	124	36	20·43
Sorell	15·24	115	39	22·06
Richmond	13·65	91	6	21·53
Richmond (Brooksbank)	13·03	88	12	21·39
Compton	15·50	142	13	21·66
Mt. Nassau	12·79	58	18	21·03
Mangalore	13·85	65	28	19·21
Bagdad	17·55	104	38	24·17
Broadmarsh	17·49	..	19	22·37
Kempton	14·91	114	32	19·59
Apsley	15·28	86	12	22·36
Colebrook	17·74	94	15	24·08
Levendale	..	..	10	30·20
MIDLAND.				
Spring Hill	13·20	72	26	20·69
Jericho	12·99	88	19	20·09
Mt. Seymour	16·30	118	21	24·40
Handroyd (York Plains)	19·06	142	10	22·59
Oatlands	19·79	177	40	21·94
Bow Hill	19·14	..	15	26·00
Andover	17·47	80	26	23·29
Woodbury	13·73	106	17	17·98
Ross (Roseneath)	15·20	61	11	19·83
Campbell Town (Quorn Hall)	16·79	127	37	20·54
Campbell Town (Institute)	17·25	..	10	23·47
View Point	19·34	78	13	23·92
EAST COAST.				
Nugent	25·71	82	10	29·62
Kellevie	24·30	118	18	33·96
Bream Creek	25·23	98	5	28·19
Brockley	18·15	98	18	25·27
Orford	18·82	91	11	26·04
Carrick Fergus Bay	..	..	6	21·30
Triabunna	20·26	..	26	26·24
Lisdillon	17·89	63	14	22·40
Kelvedon	23·58	73	43	25·20
Swansea	21·19	127	42	24·00
Riversdale	20·15	..	25	23·40
Lake Leake	25·19	108	34	31·85
Cranbrook	22·27	67	23	25·42
Bicheno	24·88	77	10	18·70
Avoca	13·17	63	29	19·97
Ormley	14·86	65	39	22·34

Stations.	Rainfall Year 1927.	Number of Wet Days.	No. of Years' Records.	Annual Average (Previous years.)
	inches.			inches.
Chain of Lagoons	28·11	..	14	29·68
Fingal	17·95	77	43	24·18
Mangana	25·33	..	10	30·32
Cullenswood	26·88	80	32	31·14
St. Marys	28·14	..	21	38·46
Tower Hill	30·51	118	17	33·91
Mathinna	27·48	112	35	31·02
Scamander	22·31	104	27	24·76
St. Helens	24·88	131	36	29·46
Gould's Country	39·23	154	40	47·37
Lottah	63·42	166	24	67·11
Upper Cascade	..	..	5	62·39
Intake	67·58	153	16	69·35
Frome Dam	36·93	125	18	44·30
Bradshaw's Creek	30·93	119	24	37·79
Eddystone Point	21·32	154	18	29·59
Gladstone	29·96	160	10	33·80
Boobyalla	21·83	120	37	24·25
KING ISLAND.				
Monk Breton	31·34	177	17	40·74
Yambacoona	24·11	150	25	31·17
Naracoopa	30·48	158	14	38·18
Surprise Bay	26·71	180	17	35·35
Currie Harbour	25·15	200	17	34·17
Benhilton	27·64	270	14	34·66
Fernlea	38·89	152	8	42·76
FLINDERS ISLAND.				
The Hermitage	21·19	194	16	26·60
Wingaroo	20·87	142	10	30·84
Lughrata	19·39	139	13	28·69
Thule	21·80	123	27	29·85
Whitemark	21·25	107	16	27·81
Lady Barron	..	..	13	29·36
Emita	17·34	161	11	26·38
MARIA ISLAND.				
Darlington	..	..	12	25·52
OTHER ISLANDS.				
Kent Group (Deal Island	18·96	143	54	27·02
Goose Island	18·12	150	52	22·81
Cape Barren Island	23·25	154	21	28·26
Swan Island	19·18	140	50	23·72
Maatsuyker Island	33·92	255	32	44·14
Hunter Island	..	..	10	34·44

RAINFALL IN HOBART (BY MONTHS) SINCE 1913.

	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925	1926.	1927.	Average (84 yrs).
	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.
January	1·38	0·24	0·17	5·2[illegible]	1·68	0·99	2·05	1·00	2·18	2·61	2·23	5·43	2·02	1·51	1·11	1·84
February	0·31	0·11	2·18	2·0[illegible]	2·07	1·80	1·51	0·25	1·08	2·55	0·73	3·39	1·33	1·42	2·98	1·46
March	1·91	1·25	2·43	0·3[illegible]	2·06	1·38	5·86	1·78	0·77	0·65	3·19	2·62	2·29	0·77	1·44	1·70
April	2·15	3·05	2·40	4·37	4·17	1·99	1·09	1·04	1·43	2·01	0·13	2·49	1·95	1·97	0·52	1·87
May	0·14	0·97	2·35	1·2[illegible]	2·31	2·41	0·76	2·17	1·23	0·62	4·54	0·79	3·43	2·62	2·87	1·89
June	1·26	0·33	1·57	2·56	3·35	1·97	3·28	2·41	1·55	1·85	3·51	2·78	2·41	4·52	1·16	2·24
July	1·49	2·57	0·62	4·53	2·74	3·20	2·20	0·77	4·47	6·02	1·34	0·90	3·06	1·63	2·30	2·18
August	1·44	1·16	1·33	2·93	2·30	3·53	1·20	1·13	2·52	2·06	1·61	1·83	1·60	1·89	1·19	1·84
September	1·92	1·00	1·27	2·88	3·76	2·60	1·19	1·79	0·96	0·71	3·08	1·69	0·62	1·87	1·09	2·08
October	1·94	0·39	3·83	2·46	2·79	3·13	1·82	0·88	0·94	3·12	3·58	2·65	1·67	5·38	1·43	2·28
November	3·67	1·66	2·55	7·07	2·50	1·23	0·35	1·69	0·33	0·82	6·82	3·24	0·73	0·89	1·31	2·48
December	1·75	2·69	0·21	7·72	0·89	1·81	1·17	3·09	0·58	5·25	2·17	0·95	1·56	1·32	2·73	1·98
Total	19·36	15·42	20·91	43·39	30·62	26·04	22·48	18·00	18·04	28·27	32·93	28·76	22·67	25·79	20·13	23·84

MONTHLY DISTRIBUTION OF RAINFALL, 1927.

District.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.
	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.
Cape Grim	0·54	2·03	1·42	0·95	4·38	3·00	5·02	5·84	2·42	1·54	0·54	2·36	30·04
Black River	1·04	1·80	0·82	0·49	3·26	2·82	4·58	5·26	2·39	2·95	0·67	1·94	28·02
Stanley	0·75	2·13	1·02	0·66	3·13	3·09	4·75	5·02	2·54	3·05	0·72	1·66	28·52
Burnie	1·39	2·13	1·39	0·32	3·65	3·26	4·30	5·71	2·55	2·82	1·02	1·63	30·17
Ulverstone	1·32	1·86	1·39	0·12	3·22	2·38	4·09	6·34	3·12	2·43	0·83	1·85	28·95
Latrobe	1·93	1·81	1·41	0·22	3·92	2·51	3·72	6·03	2·36	2·41	0·38	3·62	30·32
Northdown	2·20	1·20	1·40	0·03	2·98	1·76	3·02	4·48	2·13	2·41	0·46	2·31	24·38
Low Head	1·94	1·71	2·22	0·14	2·37	2·55	2·44	4·03	1·58	1·43	0·82	2·89	24·12
Central Castra	1·80	2·24	1·76	0·10	4·76	4·67	4·63	7·88	3·28	4·01	0·67	2·40	38·20
Deloraine	1·33	3·19	1·35	0·27	3·77	2·77	3·57	5·72	1·41	2·78	0·63	3·99	30·78
Cressy	1·18	2·23	0·80	0·13	2·21	1·90	2·57	3·87	1·49	1·77	0·78	4·53	23·46
Westbury	1·36	2·99	1·42	0·21	2·96	2·31	3·45	5·17	2·07	2·43	0·52	3·97	28·86
Longford	1·39	1·79	0·85	0·10	2·05	1·41	2·37	3·61	1·10	1·48	0·33	3·56	20·04
Ridgeside	0·85	2·11	0·69	0·05	2·08	1·35	2·02	2·82	1·09	1·16	0·57	4·35	19·14
Launceston	1·32	2·47	1·35	0·08	2·64	1·55	2·52	3·97	1·36	1·42	0·48	4·01	23·17
Frankford	1·37	3·26	2·49	0·42	3·84	3·33	4·81	6·61	2·70	2·57	0·95	4·37	36·72
Glengarry	1·76	3·07	1·91	0·24	4·01	3·55	4·17	7·36	2·47	2·74	2·10	4·53	37·91
Scottsdale	1·79	3·19	2·26	0·28	5·63	2·03	4·49	8·21	2·50	2·05	1·03	6·11	39·57
Ringarooma	1·90	4·23	1·94	0·39	6·30	2·37	5·21	8·08	2·68	2·38	1·21	5·37	42·06
Waratah	3·11	5·53	3·74	2·99	13·26	7·81	9·99	12·31	5·01	6·83	2·71	3·98	77·27
Zeehan	3·49	6·45	5·13	5·56	14·15	6·17	9·71	12·21	6·41	5·27	2·64	4·27	81·46
Mount Lyell	6·78	9·71	7·60	8·63	18·03	7·07	11·31	12·77	7·32	6·17	6·06	4·87	106·32
Cape Sorell	1·50	2·99	3·46	2·69	5·04	2·84	5·02	5·64	3·41	2·14	0·96	3·41	39·10
Miena	1·40	1·81	0·97	0·64	3·43	4·17	4·02	5·43	1·66	2·03	0·89	3·11	29·56
Bothwell	0·98	0·57	1·37	0·36	2·50	1·21	1·96	1·64	1·16	1·31	1·09	2·07	16·22
Hamilton	0·82	0·85	1·28	0·11	2·00	1·22	1·46	1·95	2·08	1·34	0·97	1·77	15·85
Ellendale	1·49	1·20	1·64	1·09	4·57	3·07	2·94	1·66	2·47	2·27	2·24	3·20	27·84
Glenora (Bushy Park)	0·98	1·75	1·59	0·33	2·99	1·83	2·12	1·94	1·33	1·30	1·37	2·11	19·64
Clarendon	0·68	0·84	1·13	0·20	2·13	1·33	1·72	1·58	1·19	1·29	1·10	1·92	15·11
New Norfolk	0·73	1·95	1·46	0·19	3·25	1·51	1·98	1·72	0·70	1·41	1·14	2·09	18·13
Uxbridge	1·24	2·10	2·37	0·69	5·24	2·57	3·63	2·67	1·23	1·09	1·67	2·27	26·77
South Bruny	0·88	2·38	2·07	1·49	3·39	2·93	2·87	2·33	1·60	2·08	1·60	1·87	25·49
Hythe	0·29	1·57	1·00	1·25	5·88	3·64	3·39	3·51	1·78	2·35	2·13	2·93	29·72
Franklin	1·54	3·91	1·87	0·84	6·15	3·11	4·05	2·55	1·45	2·01	1·56	2·19	31·23
Hobart	1·11	2·98	1·44	0·52	2·87	1·16	2·30	1·19	1·09	1·43	1·31	2·73	20·13
New Town	1·15	2·29	1·15	0·34	2·76	1·20	2·45	1·34	1·07	1·34	1·23	2·84	19·16
Glenorchy	0·92	1·68	1·20	0·37	3·77	1·48	2·85	2·03	0·92	1·19	1·18	2·78	20·37
Bellerive	1·40	2·29	1·37	0·48	2·01	1·11	1·64	1·08	1·13	1·52	1·26	2·08	17·37
Rokeby	0·91	2·16	1·19	0·48	2·03	1·06	1·16	1·16	0·98	1·34	1·15	2·04	15·66
Sandford	0·75	1·69	1·18	0·52	2·17	0·99	1·19	1·18	1·06	1·92	0·82	2·37	15·84
Carnarvon	0·92	1·69	3·08	2·25	5·09	4·03	2·99	3·99	2·48	3·04	1·65	4·91	36·12
Cambridge	0·67	1·68	1·27	0·63	1·75	0·81	0·94	1·19	0·73	1·84	1·21	2·04	14·76
Sorell	0·78	1·94	1·16	0·46	1·75	0·77	1·20	1·03	0·70	1·39	1·33	2·73	15·24
Mangalore	0·84	1·20	0·94	0·08	1·84	0·82	1·53	0·92	0·54	1·70	1·37	2·07	13·85
Richmond	0·92	2·16	1·00	0·29	1·95	0·70	0·93	0·81	0·38	1·40	1·03	2·08	13·65
Bagdad	1·29	0·88	1·48	0·17	2·61	1·18	2·19	1·56	0·86	2·03	1·21	2·09	17·55
Kempton	0·79	0·97	1·45	0·24	2·04	0·69	1·62	1·69	1·13	1·34	1·39	1·56	14·91
Spring Hill	0·96	0·54	1·25	0·37	1·88	0·89	1·55	1·11	0·76	0·91	0·81	2·17	13·20
Oatlands	0·84	0·86	1·58	0·64	2·15	1·58	2·46	1·71	0·83	0·98	1·04	5·12	19·79
Andover	0·48	0·94	1·60	0·37	2·14	0·97	2·49	1·17	0·84	1·12	0·97	4·38	17·47
Roseneath (Ross)	0·48	1·35	1·02	0·04	1·33	0·96	1·64	1·73	0·49	1·09	0·37	4·70	15·20
Campbell Town (Quorn Hall)	0·46	1·31	0·95	0·18	1·25	1·09	2·23	1·86	0·91	0·95	0·53	5·07	16·79
Triabunna	1·14	0·59	2·24	0·74	1·06	0·61	2·26	1·09	1·44	1·36	1·19	6·54	20·26
Kelvedon	1·62	0·34	3·19	0·73	1·51	0·48	3·51	1·53	1·51	1·38	3·71	4·07	23·58
Swansea	1·29	0·50	3·54	0·74	1·27	0·37	3·18	1·71	1·20	1·43	2·15	3·81	21·19
Lake Leake	0·87	1·13	1·43	0·84	2·49	0·97	5·47	2·65	1·75	1·60	1·51	4·48	25·19
Avoca	0·75	1·03	1·02	0·22	0·72	1·29	0·95	2·36	1·45	0·45	0·60	2·33	13·17
Ormley	0·53	0·54	1·37	0·63	0·72	0·84	3·03	1·94	1·33	0·82	0·75	2·36	14·86
Fingal	1·13	0·82	1·16	0·65	1·19	0·88	2·38	2·95	1·60	1·14	0·43	3·62	17·95
Cullenswood	2·08	0·74	1·58	1·99	0·94	0·88	4·09	5·65	3·04	1·89	0·85	3·15	26·88
Mathinna	1·46	2·08	1·94	0·79	2·14	1·62	2·98	5·37	2·08	1·97	0·92	4·13	27·48
Scamander	2·93	0·66	1·28	1·31	0·98	0·81	3·13	2·71	2·43	1·19	1·59	3·29	22·31
St. Helens	3·61	0·83	1·31	0·84	1·64	0·84	3·92	2·48	2·82	1·47	1·99	3·13	24·88
Gould's Country	4·35	2·25	3·29	1·37	3·47	1·79	4·29	5·66	3·38	3·19	2·19	4·00	39·23
Boobyalla	2·10	1·29	1·69	0·23	2·46	1·53	2·00	4·04	1·86	1·60	0·61	2·42	21·83
Thule (Flinders Is.)	0·70	1·81	0·75	0·84	3·64	1·06	3·30	2·87	1·73	1·94	1·46	1·70	21·80
Kent Group	0·46	0·70	0·95	0·67	2·87	1·52	3·41	2·34	1·21	1·27	1·80	1·76	18·96
Goose Is.	0·73	0·69	1·14	0·58	2·05	0·94	3·52	2·89	1·27	1·75	1·05	1·51	18·12
Swan Is.	1·69	0·89	3·61	0·30	1·91	0·87	2·52	2·54	1·13	1·24	1·01	1·47	19·18
Maatsuyker Is.	2·03	3·80	2·41	2·06	4·10	2·99	4·03	2·69	3·24	2·41	1·48	2·68	33·92

AVERAGE MONTHLY DISTRIBUTION OF RAINFALL.

(AVERAGE to end of Year 1922.)

District.	No. of Years Record.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
		in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.
Cape Grim	34	1·64	1·47	2·05	2·85	3·58	4·72	4·50	4·03	3·34	3·10	2·16	2·32	35·76
Black River	35	1·73	1·39	2·34	2·99	3·74	4·88	4·81	4·16	3·99	3·70	2·40	2·74	38·87
Stanley	40	1·58	1·43	2·02	2·69	3·41	4·33	4·18	3·62	3·24	3·16	2·21	2·42	34·29
Burnie	39	1·91	1·39	2·12	3·07	3·53	5·08	4·68	4·15	3·85	3·68	2·41	2·57	38·44
Ulverstone	21	1·62	1·55	2·03	2·74	3·53	5·56	4·82	3·74	4·20	3·87	2·64	2·16	38·46
Latrobe	22	1·71	1·30	1·69	2·63	4·06	5·48	4 55	4·28	3·84	3·19	2·31	2·61	37·65
Northdown	27	1·70	0·93	1·73	2·41	2·72	4·01	3·40	3·13	2·87	2·63	1·71	1·92	29·16
Low Head	40	1·59	1·10	1·83	2·09	2·52	3·67	2·97	2·57	2·55	2·41	1·63	1·71	26·64
Central Castra	31	2·46	1·96	2·93	3·44	4·94	6·88	5·91	5·56	5·11	4·51	3·28	2·82	49·80
Deloraine	37	2·09	1·58	2·15	2·55	3·19	4·37	4·20	4·00	3·77	3·41	2·31	2·53	36·15
Cressy	24	1·48	1·24	1·46	1·62	2·22	2·60	2·48	2·10	2·29	2·35	1·36	1·63	22·83
Westbury	22	1·69	1·67	1·91	2·22	3·08	3·79	3·53	3·00	3·32	3·16	1·97	2·10	31·44
Longford	28	1·57	1·26	1·62	1·82	2·17	2·91	2·52	2·25	2·34	2·53	1·64	1·91	24·54
Ridgeside	24	1·53	1·13	1·47	1·69	2·21	2·85	2·52	2·29	2·53	2·57	1·59	1·79	24·17
Launceston	37	1·83	1·12	1·69	2·05	2·63	3·47	3·08	2·75	2·94	2·67	1·79	2·02	28·04
Frankford	29	2·25	1·49	2·32	3·16	4·13	5·53	5·25	4·47	4·24	3·63	2·23	2·43	41·13
Glengarry	24	2·06	1·83	2·30	2·81	3·83	5·49	4·74	4·39	3·95	3·75	2·29	2·23	39·67
Scottsdale	37	2·59	1·71	2·62	3·39	3·99	5·81	5·17	4·17	4·23	4·09	2·50	2·72	42·99
Ringarooma	25	2·62	1·79	3·20	3·65	4·40	7·10	5·81	5·24	4·92	4·58	2·70	2·87	48·88
Waratah	38	4·37	3·40	5·26	6·94	7·77	9·51	9·48	9·18	8·83	8·30	6·71	5·92	85·67
Zeehan	31	5·62	4·04	6·21	9·08	9·33	9·87	10·45	9·81	9·03	9·26	7·77	6·76	97·23
Mount Lyell	28	7·44	5·14	8·58	11·12	10·42	10·26	10·88	10·44	10·55	10·96	10·81	8·84	115·44
Cape Sorell	23	2·83	2·21	3·26	4·58	4·83	6·27	5·80	5·39	4·41	4·30	3·40	3·18	50·46
Miena	29	1·98	1·72	2·03	2·53	2·90	3·35	3·09	3·13	3·02	3·51	2·43	2·51	32·20
Bothwell	33	1·91	1·15	1·62	2·13	1·53	2·03	1·82	1·39	1·69	2·08	1·72	2·04	21·11
Hamilton	37	1·75	1·07	1·39	1·63	1·45	1·84	1·64	1·42	1·74	2·02	1·59	1·75	19·29
Ellendale	22	2·67	1·67	2·58	3·79	3·18	3·74	3·27	3·46	4·07	4·14	3·29	3·14	39·00
Glenora (Bushy Park)	49	1·86	1·26	1·63	1·80	1·80	2·09	1·84	1·92	2·03	2·33	2·26	2·12	22·94
Clarendon	22	1·48	1·12	1·41	1·83	1·43	1·83	1·67	1·35	1·63	1·99	1·44	1·86	19·04
New Norfolk	32	1·81	1·21	1·52	1·90	1·59	2·15	1·86	1·61	1·95	2·37	1·86	2·09	21·92
Uxbridge	22	2·20	1·65	2·49	3·43	2·70	3·26	3·17	2·80	3·27	3·44	2·79	2·98	34·18
South Bruny	51	2·60	2·15	2·95	3·26	3·51	3·61	3·71	3·52	3·15	3·25	3·04	3·04	37·79
Hythe	36	2·79	1·99	3·14	3·81	3·19	4·21	3·84	3·41	3·34	3·74	3·15	2·82	39·43
Franklin	27	2·62	1·77	2·40	2·74	2·53	3·48	2·90	3·08	3·35	3·41	2·92	2·94	34·14
Hobart	80	1·79	1·45	1·68	1·88	1·84	2·19	2·20	1·84	2·10	2·22	2·46	2·00	23·65
New Town	32	2·19	1·43	1·89	2·29	1·97	2·43	2·33	1·81	2·07	2·58	1·85	2·30	25·14
Glenorchy	24	2·03	1·51	1·92	2·48	1·73	2·59	2·46	1 81	2·34	2·88	1·93	2·31	25·99
Bellerive	26	1·99	1·39	1·89	2·06	1·68	2·01	1·90	1·39	1·83	2·15	1·60	1·96	21·85
Rokeby	39	2·14	1·40	1·60	1·82	1·81	2·09	1·74	1·40	1·62	1·99	1·78	1·91	21·30
Sandford	35	1·85	1·56	1·81	2·35	1·71	2·46	1·91	1·60	1·73	2·12	1·60	2·00	22·70
Carnarvon	40	2·55	2·16	3·32	3·62	3·69	4·69	4·16	3·66	3·03	3·21	2·98	2·98	40·05
Cambridge	32	1·64	1·30	1·59	1·99	1·73	1·88	1·70	1·42	1·34	2·04	1·30	2·03	19·96
Sorell	35	1·84	1·38	1·67	2·16	1·86	2·03	1·84	1·49	1·71	2·10	1·53	2·18	21·79
Richmond	37	2·02	1·41	1·72	1·87	1·54	2·07	1·71	1·44	1·57	2·00	1·71	2·08	21·14
Mangalore	24	1·71	1·21	1·45	1·87	1·32	1·73	1·63	1·17	1·56	2·05	1·27	2·01	18·98
Bagdad	34	2·18	1·45	1·82	2.20	1·80	2·42	2·02	1·71	1·81	2·40	1·73	2·36	23·90
Kempton	28	1·69	1·17	1·46	1.85	1·45	1·94	1·63	1·30	1·50	1·91	1·39	1·85	19·14
Spring Hill	22	1·74	1·36	1·50	2·06	1·37	2·20	1·66	1·12	1·63	2·23	1·35	2·21	20·43
Oatlands	36	2·00	1·44	1·63	1·75	1·67	2·30	1·54	1·60	1·76	2·10	1·71	2·12	21·62
Andover	22	2·00	1·77	1·64	1·92	1·73	2·36	1·81	1·52	1·93	2·23	1·59	2·55	23·05
Beaufront (Ross)	35	1·71	1·09	1·25	1·49	1·57	1·80	1·34	1·38	1·51	1·83	1·31	1·76	18·04
Bendemeer	24	1·97	1·65	1·76	2·13	2·28	2·97	2·39	2·66	2·57	2·90	1·58	2·40	27·26
Campbell Town (Quorn Hall)	33	1·89	1·17	1·33	1·70	1·61	1·98	1·61	1·60	1·90	2·16	1·50	1·91	20·36
Triabunna	22	2·07	1·84	2·51	2·25	1·81	2·52	1·97	1·47	2·05	2·24	1·68	2·98	25·39
Kelvedon	39	2·45	1·49	2·19	1·99	1·86	2·81	2·18	1·75	1·89	2·26	1·96	2·28	25·11
Swansea	38	2·18	1·40	1·95	2·03	1·75	2·93	2·45	1·75	1·78	2·09	1·84	2·09	24·24
Lake Leake	30	2·36	1·57	2·46	2·71	2·76	4·00	3·32	2·53	2·62	2·89	2·01	2·53	31·76
Avoca	25	1·36	1·10	1·18	1·58	1·58	2·32	1·70	1·82	1·65	2·09	1·39	1·75	19·52
Ormley	53	1·80	1·17	1·62	1·86	2·01	2·63	2·12	2·01	2·10	2·12	1·93	1·79	23·16
Fingal	39	1·90	1·47	1·73	2·01	1·85	3·39	2·22	2·21	2·04	2·22	1·58	1·59	24·21
Cullenswood	28	1·99	1·99	2·83	2·33	2·60	4·26	2·74	3·07	2·38	2·27	1·54	2·11	30·11
Mathinna	31	1·91	1·39	2·71	2·15	2·52	4·00	3·19	3·20	2·63	2·93	1·47	2·18	30·28
Scamander	23	2·22	1·49	2·66	1·85	2·18	2·71	2·17	1·74	2·13	2·00	1·33	1·83	24 31
St. Helens	32	2·29	1·81	2·82	2·34	2·25	3·85	2·81	2·51	2·52	2·49	1·64	1·92	29·25
Gould's Country	36	3·29	2·62	4·11	3·53	3·98	6·19	4·43	4·87	4·22	4·20	3·10	3·20	47·74
Boobyalla	33	1·34	1·10	1·68	1·78	2·30	3·11	2·59	2·41	2·26	2·23	1·52	1·66	23·98
Thule (Flinders Island)	23	1·92	1·13	2·80	2·51	2·68	3·97	3·04	2·64	2·74	2·49	1·64	2·08	29·64
Kent Group	50	1·68	1·23	2·09	2·31	2·69	3·26	2·76	2·55	2·46	2·29	1·77	1·77	26·86
Goose Island	48	1·40	0·94	2·44	2·35	2·74	4·16	3·15	2·61	2·76	2·49	1·52	2·05	28·61
Swan Island	47	1·53	1·02	1·77	1·93	2·56	2·93	2·41	2·34	2·00	2·22	1·49	1·64	23·84
Maatsuyker Island	28	2·85	2·01	3·39	4·53	4·27	4·45	4·51	4·30	3·53	3·89	3·71	3·08	44·52

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS, MADE AT

Month.	Barometer.						Temperature.													
	Corrected to 32° F. M.S.L. and Latitude 45°.			Mean of 9 a.m. & 3 p.m.	Highest.	Lowest.	9 a.m.			3 p.m.			9 p.m.			Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Mean Diurnal Range.	Solar Maximum.
	9 a.m.	3 p.m.	9 p.m.				Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Humidity (mean).	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Humidity (mean).	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Humidity (mean).					
	Mean. In.	Mean. In.	Mean. In.	In.	In.	In.	Mean °	Mean °	%	Mean °	Mean °	%	Mean °	Mean °	%	Mean °	Mean °	°	°	Mean °
Jan.	29·916	29·876	29·921	29·896	30·323	29·333	62·5	54·5	56	65·4	56·7	55	57·8	52·7	70	70·4	53·0	61·7	17·4	128·2
Feb. ...	29·849	39·801	29·870	29·825	30·300	28·876	61·3	53·7	58	66·5	56·4	49	57·1	51·9	69	70·8	51·6	61·2	19·2	126·5
March ...	29·953	29·902	29·952	29·928	30·429	29·263	55·9	50·7	68	60·6	53·1	57	53·3	48·9	71	63·6	49·1	56·4	14·5	112·0
April ...	30·077	30·030	30·085	30·054	30·594	29·543	53·4	48·4	67	56·6	50·1	60	51·3	47·1	71	60·5	47·2	53·8	13·3	106·1
May.....	29·876	29·827	29·889	29·852	30·543	29·003	48·9	44·4	67	54·1	47·4	57	48·0	44·3	72	56·7	44·3	50·5	12·4	90·4
June	30·119	30·067	30·094	30·093	30·562	29·232	42·3	39·4	75	48·0	43·4	65	43·3	40·3	75	50·4	38·7	44·6	11·7	81·1
July.....	29·870	29·814	29·849	29·842	30·294	29·190	44·7	41·9	78	49·3	44·8	68	44·9	42·1	78	51·6	41·3	46·4	10·2	81·2
August.	29·800	29·759	29·811	29·780	30·263	29·078	46·7	42·7	70	52·1	46·4	61	45·2	41·8	73	54·3	41·2	47·8	13·1	90·0
Sept. ...	30·125	30·059	30·112	30·092	30·491	29·190	50·2	45·4	66	55·6	48·6	57	47·7	44·3	75	58·9	42·8	50·8	16·1	106·1
October	29·984	29·920	30·000	29·952	30·510	29·387	55·1	48·2	57	60·8	51·1	46	51·3	46·4	66	63·7	46·4	55·0	17·3	117·9
Nov.....	299·68	29·922	29·974	29·945	30·350	29·316	58·8	51·1	55	61·9	53·3	53	53·8	49·3	70	66·6	48·0	57·3	18·6	128·0
Dec.	29·885	29·840	29·904	29·862	30·324	29·256	63·1	54·9	56	65·3	57·2	59	57·5	53·0	72	70·3	52·7	61·5	17·6	125·2
Mean Years	29·952	29·901	29·955	29·927	...	...	53·6	47·9	63	58·0	50·7	57	50·9	46·9	72	61·5	46·4	53·9	15·1	107·7
Departure from Average of Previous Years. ...	+·034	+·031	+·033	+·033	...	...	—0·6	—1·3	—4	—1·2	—1·5	—2	—1·0	—1·2	—2	—0·8	—0·1	—0·5	—0·7	—5·1
Totals ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Extremes	...	...	...	...	30·594	28·876	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

RAINFALL IN TASMANIA, 1927—*continued.*

Stations	Rainfall Year 1927.	Number of Wet Days.	No. of Years' Records.	Annual Average (Previous years).
	inches.			inches.
Eaglehawk Neck	..	..	14	35·14
Cambridge	14·76	124	36	20·43
Sorell	15·24	115	39	22·06
Richmond	13·65	91	6	21·53
Richmond (Brooksbank)	13·03	88	12	21·39
Compton	15·50	142	13	21·66
Mt. Nassau	12·79	58	18	21·03
Mangalore	13·85	65	28	19·21
Bagdad	17·55	104	38	24·17
Broadmarsh	17·49	..	19	22·37
Kempton	14·91	114	32	19·59
Apsley	15·28	86	12	22·36
Colebrook	17·74	94	15	24·08
Levendale	..	..	10	30·20
MIDLAND.				
Spring Hill	13·20	72	26	20·69
Jericho	12·99	88	19	20·09
Mt. Seymour	16·30	118	21	24·40
Handroyd (York Plains)	19·06	142	10	22·59
Oatlands	19·79	177	40	21·94
Bow Hill	19·14	..	15	26·00
Andover	17·47	80	26	23·29
Woodbury	13·73	106	17	17·98
Ross (Roseneath)	15·20	61	11	19·83
Campbell Town (Quorn Hall)	16·79	127	37	20·54
Campbell Town (Institute)	17·25	..	10	23·47
View Point	19·34	78	13	23·92
EAST COAST.				
Nugent	25·71	82	10	29·62
Kellevie	24·30	118	18	33·96
Bream Creek	25·23	98	5	28·19
Brockley	18·15	98	18	25·27
Orford	18·82	91	11	26·04
Carrick Fergus Bay	..	..	6	21·30
Triabunna	20·26	..	26	26·24
Lisdillon	17·89	63	14	22·40
Kelvedon	23·58	73	43	25·20
Swansea	21·19	127	42	24·00
Riversdale	20·15	..	25	23·40
Lake Leake	25·19	108	34	31·85
Cranbrook	22·27	67	23	25·42
Bicheno	24·88	77	10	18·70
Avoca	13·17	63	29	19·97
Ormley	14·86	65	39	22·34

Stations.	Rainfall Year 1927.	Number of Wet Days.	No. of Years' Records.	Annual Average (Previous years.)
	inches.			inches.
Chain of Lagoons	28·11	..	14	29·68
Fingal	17·95	77	43	24·18
Mangana	25·33	..	10	30·32
Cullenswood	26·88	80	32	31·14
St. Marys	28·14	..	21	38·46
Tower Hill	30·51	118	17	33·91
Mathinna	27·48	112	35	31·02
Scamander	22·31	104	27	24·76
St. Helens	24·88	131	36	29·46
Gould's Country	39·23	154	40	47·37
Lottah	63·42	166	24	67·11
Upper Cascade	..	..	5	62·39
Intake	67·58	153	16	69·35
Frome Dam	36·93	125	18	44·30
Bradshaw's Creek	30·93	119	24	37·79
Eddystone Point	21·32	154	18	29·59
Gladstone	29·96	160	10	33·80
Boobyalla	21·83	120	37	24·25
KING ISLAND.				
Monk Breton	31·34	177	17	40·74
Yambacoona	24·11	150	25	31·17
Naracoopa	30·48	158	14	38·18
Surprise Bay	26·71	180	17	35·35
Currie Harbour	25·15	200	17	34·17
Benhilton	27·64	270	14	34·66
Fernlea	38·89	152	8	42·76
FLINDERS ISLAND.				
The Hermitage	21·19	194	16	26·60
Wingaroo	20·87	142	10	30·84
Lughrata	19·39	139	13	28·69
Thule	21·80	123	27	29·85
Whitemark	21·25	107	16	27·81
Lady Barron	..	..	13	29·36
Emita	17·34	161	11	26·38
MARIA ISLAND.				
Darlington	..	..	12	25·52
OTHER ISLANDS.				
Kent Group (Deal Island	18·96	143	54	27·02
Goose Island	18·12	150	52	22·81
Cape Barren Island	23·25	154	21	28·26
Swan Island	19·18	140	50	23·72
Maatsuyker Island	33·92	255	32	44·14
Hunter Island	..	..	10	34·44

RAINFALL IN HOBART (BY MONTHS) SINCE 1913.

	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925	1926.	1927.	Average (84 yrs).
	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.
January	1·38	0·24	0·17	5·22	1·68	0·99	2·05	1·00	2·18	2·61	2·23	5·43	2·02	1·51	1·11	1·84
February	0·31	0·11	2·18	2·03	2·07	1·80	1·51	0·25	1·08	2·55	0·73	3·39	1·33	1·42	2·98	1·46
March	1·91	1·25	2·43	0·33	2·06	1·38	5·86	1·78	0·77	0·65	3·19	2·62	2·29	0·77	1·44	1·70
April	2·15	3·05	2·40	4·37	4·17	1·99	1·09	1·04	1·43	2·01	0·13	2·49	1·95	1·97	0·52	1·87
May	0·14	0·97	2·35	1·23	2·31	2·41	0·76	2·17	1·23	0·62	4·54	0·79	3·43	2·62	2·87	1·89
June	1·26	0·33	1·57	2·56	3·35	1·97	3·28	2·41	1·55	1·85	3·51	2·78	2·41	4·52	1·16	2·24
July	1·49	2·57	0·62	4·53	2·74	3·20	2·20	0·77	4·47	6·02	1·34	0·90	3·06	1·63	2·30	2·18
August	1·44	1·16	1·33	2·93	2·30	3·53	1·20	1·13	2·52	2·06	1·61	1·83	1·60	1·89	1·19	1·84
September	1·92	1·00	1·27	2·88	3·76	2·60	1·19	1·79	0·96	0·71	3·08	1·69	0·62	1·87	1·09	2·08
October	1·94	0·39	3·83	2·46	2·79	3·13	1·82	0·88	0·94	3·12	3·58	2·65	1·67	5·38	1·43	2·28
November	3·67	1·66	2·55	7·07	2·50	1·23	0·35	1·69	0·33	0·82	6·82	3·24	0·73	0·89	1·31	2·48
December	1·75	2·69	0·21	7·72	0·89	1·81	1·17	3·09	0·58	5·25	2·17	0·95	1·56	1·32	2·73	1·98
Total	19·36	15·42	20·91	43·39	30·62	26·04	22·48	18·00	18·04	28·27	32·93	28·76	22·67	25·79	20·13	23·84

MONTHLY DISTRIBUTION OF RAINFALL, 1927.

District.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.
	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.
Cape Grim	0·54	2·03	1·42	0·95	4·38	3·00	5·02	5·84	2·42	1·54	0·54	2·36	30·04
Black River	1·04	1·80	0·82	0·49	3·26	2·82	4·58	5·26	2·39	2·95	0·67	1·94	28·02
Stanley	0·75	2·13	1·02	0·66	3·13	3·09	4·75	5·02	2·54	3·05	0·72	1·66	28·52
Burnie	1·39	2·13	1·39	0·32	3·65	3·26	4·30	5·71	2·55	2·82	1·02	1·63	30·17
Ulverstone	1·32	1·86	1·39	0·12	3·22	2·38	4·09	6·34	3·12	2·43	0·83	1·85	28·95
Latrobe	1·93	1·81	1·41	0·22	3·92	2·51	3·72	6·03	2·36	2·41	0·38	3·62	30·32
Northdown	2·20	1·20	1·40	0·03	2·98	1·76	3·02	4·48	2·13	2·41	0·46	2·31	24·38
Low Head	1·94	1·71	2·22	0·14	2·37	2·55	2·44	4·03	1·58	1·43	0·82	2·89	24·12
Central Castra	1·80	2·24	1·76	0·10	4·76	4·67	4·63	7·88	3·28	4·01	0·67	2·40	38·20
Deloraine	1·33	3·19	1·35	0·27	3·77	2·77	3·57	5·72	1·41	2·78	0·63	3·99	30·78
Cressy	1·18	2·23	0·80	0·13	2·21	1·90	2·57	3·87	1·49	1·77	0·78	4·53	23·46
Westbury	1·36	2·99	1·42	0·21	2·96	2·31	3·45	5·17	2·07	2·43	0·52	3·97	28·86
Longford	1·39	1·79	0·85	0·10	2·05	1·41	2·37	3·61	1·10	1·48	0·33	3·56	20·04
Ridgeside	0·85	2·11	0·69	0·05	2·08	1·35	2·02	2·82	1·09	1·16	0·57	4·35	19·14
Launceston	1·32	2·47	1·35	0·08	2·64	1·55	2·52	3·97	1·36	1·42	0·48	4·01	23·17
Frankford	1·37	3·26	2·49	0·42	3·84	3·33	4·81	6·61	2·70	2·57	0·95	4·37	36·72
Glengarry	1·76	3·07	1·91	0·24	4·01	3·55	4·17	7·36	2·47	2·74	2·10	4·53	37·91
Scottsdale	1·79	3·19	2·26	0·28	5·63	2·03	4·49	8·21	2·50	2·05	1·03	6·11	39·57
Ringarooma	1·90	4·23	1·94	0·39	6·30	2·37	5·21	8·08	2·68	2·38	1·21	5·37	42·06
Waratah	3·11	5·53	3·74	2·99	13·26	7·81	9·99	12·31	5·01	6·83	2·71	3·98	77·27
Zeehan	3·49	6·45	5·13	5·56	14·15	6·17	9·71	12·21	6·41	5·27	2·64	4·27	81·46
Mount Lyell	6·78	9·71	7·60	8·63	18·03	7·07	11·31	12·77	7·32	6·17	6·06	4·87	106·32
Cape Sorell	1·50	2·99	3·46	2·69	5·04	2·84	5·02	5·64	3·41	2·14	0·96	3·41	39·10
Miena	1·40	1·81	0·97	0·64	3·43	4·17	4·02	5·43	1·66	2·03	0·89	3·11	29·56
Bothwell	0·98	0·57	1·37	0·36	2·50	1·21	1·96	1·64	1·16	1·31	1·09	2·07	16·22
Hamilton	0·82	0·85	1·28	0·11	2·00	1·22	1·46	1·95	2·08	1·34	0·97	1·77	15·85
Ellendale	1·49	1·20	1·64	1·09	4·57	3·07	2·94	1·66	2·47	2·27	2·24	3·20	27·84
Glenora (Bushy Park)	0·98	1·75	1·59	0·33	2·99	1·83	2·12	1·94	1·33	1·30	1·37	2·11	19·64
Clarendon	0·68	0·84	1·13	0·20	2·13	1·33	1·72	1·58	1·19	1·29	1·10	1·92	15·11
New Norfolk	0·73	1·95	1·46	0·19	3·25	1·51	1·98	1·72	0·70	1·41	1·14	2·09	18·13
Uxbridge	1·24	2·10	2·37	0·69	5·24	2·57	3·63	2·67	1·23	1·09	1·67	2·27	26·77
South Bruny	0·88	2·38	2·07	1·49	3·39	2·93	2·87	2·33	1·60	2·08	1·60	1·87	25·49
Hythe	0·29	1·57	1·00	1·25	5·88	3·64	3·39	3·51	1·78	2·35	2·13	2·93	29·72
Franklin	1·54	3·91	1·87	0·84	6·15	3·11	4·05	2·55	1·45	2·01	1·56	2·19	31·23
Hobart	1·11	2·98	1·44	0·52	2·87	1·16	2·30	1·19	1·09	1·43	1·31	2·73	20·13
New Town	1·15	2·29	1·15	0·34	2·76	1·20	2·45	1·34	1·07	1·34	1·23	2·84	19·16
Glenorchy	0·92	1·68	1·20	0·37	3·77	1·48	2·85	2·03	0·92	1·19	1·18	2·78	20·37
Bellerive	1·40	2·29	1·37	0·48	2·01	1·11	1·64	1·08	1·13	1·52	1·26	2·08	17·37
Rokeby	0·91	2·16	1·19	0·48	2·03	1·06	1·16	1·16	0·98	1·34	1·15	2·04	15·66
Sandford	0·75	1·69	1·18	0·52	2·17	0·99	1·19	1·18	1·06	1·92	0·82	2·37	15·84
Carnarvon	0·92	1·69	3·08	2·25	5·09	4·03	2·99	3·99	2·48	3·04	1·65	4·91	36·12
Cambridge	0·67	1·68	1·27	0·63	1·75	0·81	0·94	1·19	0·73	1·84	1·21	2·04	14·76
Sorell	0·78	1·94	1·16	0·46	1·75	0·77	1·20	1·03	0·70	1·39	1·33	2·73	15·24
Mangalore	0·84	1·20	0·94	0·08	1·84	0·82	1·53	0·92	0·54	1·70	1·37	2·07	13·85
Richmond	0·92	2·16	1·00	0·29	1·95	0·70	0·93	0·81	0·38	1·40	1·03	2·08	13·65
Bagdad	1·29	0·88	1·48	0·17	2·61	1·18	2·19	1·56	0·86	2·03	1·21	2·09	17·55
Kempton	0·79	0·97	1·45	0·24	2·04	0·69	1·62	1·69	1·13	1·34	1·39	1·56	14·91
Spring Hill	0·96	0·54	1·25	0·37	1·88	0·89	1·55	1·11	0·76	0·91	0·81	2·17	13·20
Oatlands	0·84	0·86	1·58	0·64	2·15	1·58	2·46	1·71	0·83	0·98	1·04	5·12	19·79
Andover	0·48	0·94	1·60	0·37	2·14	0·97	2·49	1·17	0·84	1·12	0·97	4·38	17·47
Roseneath (Ross)	0·48	1·35	1·02	0·04	1·33	0·96	1·64	1·73	0·49	1·09	0·37	4·70	15·20
Campbell Town (Quorn Hall)	0·46	1·31	0·95	0·18	1·25	1·09	2·23	1·86	0·91	0·95	0·53	5·07	16·79
Triabunna	1·14	0·59	2·24	0·74	1·06	0·61	2·26	1·09	1·44	1·36	1·19	6·54	20·26
Kelvedon	1·62	0·34	3·19	0·73	1·51	0·48	3·51	1·53	1·51	1·38	3·71	4·07	23·58
Swansea	1·29	0·50	3·54	0·74	1·27	0·37	3·18	1·71	1·20	1·43	2·15	3·81	21·19
Lake Leake	0·87	1·13	1·43	0·84	2·49	0·97	5·47	2·65	1·75	1·60	1·51	4·48	25·19
Avoca	0·75	1·03	1·02	0·22	0·72	1·29	0·95	2·36	1·45	0·45	0·60	2·33	13·17
Ormley	0·53	0·54	1·37	0·63	0·72	0·84	3·03	1·94	1·33	0·82	0·75	2·36	14·86
Fingal	1·13	0·82	1·16	0·65	1·19	0·88	2·38	2·95	1·60	1·14	0·43	3·62	17·95
Cullenswood	2·08	0·74	1·58	1·99	0·94	0·88	4·09	5·65	3·04	1·89	0·85	3·15	26·88
Mathinna	1·46	2·08	1·94	0·79	2·14	1·62	2·98	5·37	2·08	1·97	0·92	4·13	27·48
Scamander	2·93	0·66	1·28	1·31	0·98	0·81	3·13	2·71	2·43	1·19	1·59	3·29	22·31
St. Helens	3·61	0·83	1·31	0·84	1·64	0·84	3·92	2·48	2·82	1·47	1·99	3·13	24·88
Gould's Country	4·35	2·25	3·29	1·37	3·47	1·79	4·29	5·66	3·38	3·19	2·19	4·00	39·23
Boobyalla	2·10	1·29	1·69	0·23	2·46	1·53	2·00	4·04	1·86	1·60	0·61	2·42	21·83
Thule (Flinders Is.)	0·70	1·81	0·75	0·84	3·64	1·06	3·30	2·87	1·73	1·94	1·46	1·70	21·80
Kent Group	0·46	0·70	0·95	0·67	2·87	1·52	3·41	2·34	1·21	1·27	1·80	1·76	18·96
Goose Is.	0·73	0·69	1·14	0·58	2·05	0·94	3·52	2·89	1·27	1·75	1·05	1·51	18·12
Swan Is.	1·69	0·89	3·61	0·30	1·91	0·87	2·52	2·54	1·13	1·24	1·01	1·47	19·18
Maatsuyker Is.	2·03	3·80	2·41	2·06	4·10	2·99	4·03	2·69	3·24	2·41	1·48	2·68	33·92

AVERAGE MONTHLY DISTRIBUTION OF RAINFALL.

(AVERAGE to end of Year 1922.)

District.	No. of Years Record.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
		in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.	in.
Cape Grim	34	1·64	1·47	2·05	2·85	3·58	4·72	4·50	4·03	3·34	3·10	2·16	2·32	35·76
Black River	35	1·73	1·39	2·34	2·99	3·74	4·88	4·81	4·16	3·99	3·70	2·40	2·74	38·87
Stanley	40	1·58	1·43	2·02	2·69	3·41	4·33	4·18	3·62	3·24	3·16	2·21	2·42	34·29
Burnie	39	1·91	1·39	2·12	3·07	3·53	5·08	4·68	4·15	3·85	3·68	2·41	2·57	38·44
Ulverstone	21	1·62	1·55	2·03	2·74	3·53	5·56	4·82	3·74	4·20	3·87	2·64	2·16	38·46
Latrobe	22	1·71	1·30	1·69	2·63	4·06	5·48	4 55	4·28	3·84	3·19	2·31	2·61	37·65
Northdown	27	1·70	0·93	1·73	2·41	2·72	4·01	3·40	3·13	2·87	2·63	1·71	1·92	29·16
Low Head	40	1·59	1·10	1·83	2·09	2·52	3·67	2·97	2·57	2·55	2·41	1·63	1·71	26·64
Central Castra	31	2·46	1·96	2·93	3·44	4·94	6·88	5·91	5·56	5·11	4·51	3·28	2·82	49·80
Deloraine	37	2·09	1·58	2·15	2·55	3·19	4·37	4·20	4·00	3·77	3·41	2·31	2·53	36·15
Cressy	24	1·48	1·24	1·46	1·62	2·22	2·60	2·48	2·10	2·29	2·35	1·36	1·63	22·83
Westbury	22	1·69	1·67	1·91	2·22	3·08	3·79	3·53	3·00	3·32	3·16	1·97	2·10	31·44
Longford	28	1·57	1·26	1·62	1·82	2·17	2·91	2·52	2·25	2·34	2·53	1·64	1·91	24·54
Ridgeside	24	1·53	1·13	1·47	1·69	2·21	2·85	2·52	2·29	2·53	2·57	1·59	1·79	24·17
Launceston	37	1·83	1·12	1·69	2·05	2·63	3·47	3·08	2·75	2·94	2·67	1·79	2·02	28·04
Frankford	29	2·25	1·49	2·32	3·16	4·13	5·53	5·25	4·47	4·24	3·63	2·23	2·43	41·13
Glengarry	24	2·06	1·83	2·30	2·81	3·83	5·49	4·74	4·39	3·95	3·75	2·29	2·23	39·67
Scottsdale	37	2·59	1·71	2·62	3·39	3·99	5·81	5·17	4·17	4·23	4·09	2·50	2·72	42·99
Ringarooma	25	2·62	1·79	3·20	3·65	4·40	7·10	5·81	5·24	4·92	4·58	2·70	2·87	48·88
Waratah	38	4·37	3·40	5·26	6·94	7·77	9·51	9·48	9·18	8·83	8·30	6·71	5·92	85·67
Zeehan	31	5·62	4·04	6·21	9·08	9·33	9·87	10·45	9·81	9·03	9·26	7·77	6·76	97·23
Mount Lyell	28	7·44	5·14	8·58	11·12	10·42	10·26	10·88	10·44	10·55	10·96	10·81	8·84	115·44
Cape Sorell	23	2·83	2·21	3·26	4·58	4·83	6·27	5·80	5·39	4·41	4·30	3·40	3·18	50·46
Miena	29	1·98	1·72	2·03	2·53	2·90	3·35	3·09	3·13	3·02	3·51	2·43	2·51	32·20
Bothwell	33	1·91	1·15	1·62	2·13	1·53	2·03	1·82	1·39	1·69	2·08	1·72	2·04	21·11
Hamilton	37	1·75	1·07	1·39	1·63	1·45	1·84	1·64	1·42	1·74	2·02	1·59	1·75	19·29
Ellendale	22	2·67	1·67	2·58	3·79	3·18	3·74	3·27	3·46	4·07	4·14	3·29	3·14	39·00
Glenora (Bushy Park)	49	1·86	1·26	1·63	1·80	1·80	2·09	1·84	1·92	2·03	2·33	2·26	2·12	22·94
Clarendon	22	1·48	1·12	1·41	1·83	1·43	1·83	1·67	1·35	1·63	1·99	1·44	1·86	19·04
New Norfolk	32	1·81	1·21	1·52	1·90	1·59	2·15	1·86	1·61	1·95	2·37	1·86	2·09	21·92
Uxbridge	22	2·20	1·65	2·49	3·43	2·70	3·26	3·17	2·80	3·27	3·44	2·79	2·98	34·18
South Bruny	51	2·60	2·15	2·95	3·26	3·51	3·61	3·71	3·52	3·15	3·25	3·04	3·04	37·79
Hythe	36	2·79	1·99	3·14	3·81	3·19	4·21	3·84	3·41	3·34	3·74	3·15	2·82	39·43
Franklin	27	2·62	1·77	2·40	2·74	2·53	3·48	2·90	3·08	3·35	3·41	2·92	2·94	34·14
Hobart	80	1·79	1·45	1·68	1·88	1·84	2·19	2·20	1·84	2·10	2·22	2·46	2·00	23·65
New Town	32	2·19	1·43	1·89	2·29	1·97	2·43	2·33	1·81	2·07	2·58	1·85	2·30	25·14
Glenorchy	24	2·03	1·51	1·92	2·48	1·73	2·59	2·46	1 81	2·34	2·88	1·93	2·31	25·99
Bellerive	26	1·99	1·39	1·89	2·06	1·68	2·01	1·90	1·39	1·83	2·15	1·60	1·96	21·85
Rokeby	39	2·14	1·40	1·60	1·82	1·81	2·09	1·74	1·40	1·62	1·99	1·78	1·91	21·30
Sandford	35	1·85	1·56	1·81	2·35	1·71	2·46	1·91	1·60	1·73	2·12	1·60	2·00	22·70
Carnarvon	40	2·55	2·16	3·32	3·62	3·69	4·69	4·16	3·66	3·03	3·21	2·98	2·98	40·05
Cambridge	32	1·64	1·30	1·59	1·99	1·73	1·88	1·70	1·42	1·34	2·04	1·30	2·03	19·96
Sorell	35	1·84	1·38	1·67	2·16	1·86	2·03	1·84	1·49	1·71	2·10	1·53	2·18	21·79
Richmond	37	2·02	1·41	1·72	1·87	1·54	2·07	1·71	1·44	1·57	2·00	1·71	2·08	21·14
Mangalore	24	1·71	1·21	1·45	1·87	1·32	1·73	1·63	1·17	1·56	2·05	1·27	2·01	18·98
Bagdad	34	2·18	1·45	1·82	2.20	1·80	2·42	2·02	1·71	1·81	2·40	1·73	2·36	23·90
Kempton	28	1·69	1·17	1·46	1.85	1·45	1·94	1·63	1·30	1·50	1·91	1·39	1·85	19·14
Spring Hill	22	1·74	1·36	1·50	2·06	1·37	2·20	1·66	1·12	1·63	2·23	1·35	2·21	20·43
Oatlands	36	2·00	1·44	1·63	1·75	1·67	2·30	1·54	1·60	1·76	2·10	1·71	2·12	21·62
Andover	22	2·00	1·77	1·64	1·92	1·73	2·36	1·81	1·52	1·93	2·23	1·59	2·55	23·05
Beaufront (Ross)	35	1·71	1·09	1·25	1·49	1·57	1·80	1·34	1·38	1·51	1·83	1·31	1·76	18·04
Bendemeer	24	1·97	1·65	1·76	2·13	2·28	2·97	2·39	2·66	2·57	2·90	1·58	2·40	27·26
Campbell Town (Quorn Hall)	33	1·89	1·17	1·33	1·70	1·61	1·98	1·61	1·60	1·90	2·16	1·50	1·91	20·36
Triabunna	22	2·07	1·84	2·51	2·25	1·81	2·52	1·97	1·47	2·05	2·24	1·68	2·98	25·39
Kelvedon	39	2·45	1·49	2·19	1·99	1·86	2·81	2·18	1·75	1·89	2·26	1·96	2·28	25·11
Swansea	38	2·18	1·40	1·95	2·03	1·75	2·93	2·45	1·75	1·78	2·09	1·84	2·09	24·24
Lake Leake	30	2·36	1·57	2·46	2·71	2·76	4·00	3·32	2·53	2·62	2·89	2·01	2·53	31·76
Avoca	25	1·36	1·10	1·18	1·58	1·58	2·32	1·70	1·82	1·65	2·09	1·39	1·75	19·52
Ormley	53	1·80	1·17	1·62	1·86	2·01	2·63	2·12	2·01	2·10	2·12	1·93	1·79	23·16
Fingal	39	1·90	1·47	1·73	2·01	1·85	3·39	2·22	2·21	2·04	2·22	1·58	1·59	24·21
Cullenswood	28	1·99	1·99	2·83	2·33	2·60	4·26	2·74	3·07	2·38	2·27	1·54	2·11	30·11
Mathinna	31	1·91	1·39	2·71	2·15	2·52	4·00	3·19	3·20	2·63	2·93	1·47	2·18	30·28
Scamander	23	2·22	1·49	2·66	1·85	2·18	2·71	2·17	1·74	2·13	2·00	1·33	1·83	24 31
St. Helens	32	2·29	1·81	2·82	2·34	2·25	3·85	2·81	2·51	2·52	2·49	1·64	1·92	29·25
Gould's Country	36	3·29	2·62	4·11	3·53	3·98	6·19	4·43	4·87	4·22	4·20	3·10	3·20	47·74
Boobyalla	33	1·34	1·10	1·68	1·78	2·30	3·11	2·59	2·41	2·26	2·23	1·52	1·66	23·98
Thule (Flinders Island)	23	1·92	1·13	2·80	2·51	2·68	3·97	3·04	2·64	2·74	2·49	1·64	2·08	29·64
Kent Group	50	1·68	1·23	2·09	2·31	2·69	3·26	2·76	2·55	2·46	2·29	1·77	1·77	26·86
Goose Island	48	1·40	0·94	2·44	2·35	2·74	4·16	3·15	2·61	2·76	2·49	1·52	2·05	28·61
Swan Island	47	1·53	1·02	1·77	1·93	2·56	2·93	2·41	2·34	2·00	2·22	1·49	1·64	23·84
Maatsuyker Island	28	2·85	2·01	3·39	4·53	4·27	4·45	4·51	4·30	3·53	3·89	3·71	3·08	44·52

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS, MADE AT

Month.	Barometer.						Temperature.													
	Corrected to 32° F. M.S.L. and Latitude 45°.			Mean of 9 a.m. & 3 p.m.	Highest.	Lowest.	9 a.m.			3 p.m.			9 p.m.			Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Mean Diurnal Range.	Solar Maximum.
	9 a.m.	3 p.m.	9 p.m.				Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Humidity (mean).	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Humidity (mean).	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Humidity (mean).					
	Mean. In.	Mean. In.	Mean. In.	In.	In.	In.	Mean °	Mean °	%	Mean °	Mean °	%	Mean °	Mean °	%	Mean °	Mean °	°	°	Mean °
Jan.	29·916	29·876	29·921	29·896	30·323	29·333	62·5	54·5	56	65·4	56·7	55	57·8	52·7	70	70·4	53·0	61·7	17·4	128·2
Feb.	29·849	39·801	29·870	29·825	30·300	28·876	61·3	53·7	58	66·5	56·4	49	57·1	51·9	69	70·8	51·6	31·2	19·2	126·5
March	29·953	29·902	29·952	29·928	30·429	29·263	55·9	50·7	68	60·6	53·1	57	53·3	48·9	71	63·6	49·1	56·4	14·5	112·0
April	30·077	30·030	30·085	30·054	30·594	29·543	53·4	48·4	67	56·6	50·1	60	51·3	47·1	71	60·5	47·2	53·8	13·3	106·1
May	29·876	29·827	29·889	29·852	30·543	29·003	48·9	44·4	67	54·1	47·4	57	48·0	44·3	72	56·7	44·3	50·5	12·4	90·4
June	30·119	30·067	30·094	30·093	30·562	29·232	42·3	39·4	75	48·0	43·4	65	43·3	40·3	75	50·4	38·7	44·6	11·7	81·1
July	29·870	29·814	29·849	29·842	30·294	29·190	44·7	41·9	78	49·3	44·8	68	44·9	42·1	78	51·6	41·3	46·4	10·2	81·2
August.	29·800	29·759	29·811	29·780	30·263	29·078	46·7	42·7	70	52·1	46·4	61	45·2	41·8	73	54·3	41·2	47·8	13·1	90·0
Sept.	30·125	30·059	30·112	30·092	30·491	29·190	50·2	45·4	66	55·6	48·6	57	47·7	44·3	75	58·9	42·8	50·8	16·1	106·1
October	29·984	29·920	30·000	29·952	30·510	29·387	55·1	48·2	57	60·8	51·1	46	51·3	46·4	66	63·7	46·4	55·0	17·3	117·9
Nov.	299·68	29·922	29·974	29·945	30·350	29·316	58·8	51·1	55	61·9	53·3	53	53·8	49·3	70	66·6	48·0	57·3	18·6	128·0
Dec.	29·885	29·840	29·904	29·862	30·324	29·256	63·1	54·9	56	65·3	57·2	59	57·5	53·0	72	70·3	52·7	61·5	17·6	125·2
Mean Years	29·952	29·901	29·955	29·927	...	...	53·6	47·9	63	58·0	50·7	57	50·9	46·9	72	61·5	46·4	53·9	15·1	107·7
Departure from Average of Previous Years.	+·034	+·031	+·033	+·033	...	...	—0·6	—1·3	-4	—1·2	—1·5	-2	—1·0	—1·2	-2	—0·8	—0·1	—0·5	—0·7	—5·1
Totals	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Extremes	...	...	...	...	30·594	28·876	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

HOBART, TASMANIA, DURING THE YEAR 1927.

Terrestrial Minimum.	Cloud 0-10.			Total Hours of Sunshine.	Wind.						Total No. of Miles.	Rainfall.		Evaporation.	Extremes. Temperature.			
					9 a.m.		3 p.m.		9 p.m.									
	9 a.m. (mean).	3 p.m. (mean).	9 p.m. (mean).		Resultant Direction.	Miles per Hour.	Resultant Direction.	Miles per Hour.	Resultant Direction.	Miles per Hour.		Total.	Days.		Maximum.	Minimum.	Solar Maximum.	Terrestrial Minimum.
Mean					Mean		Mean		Mean			In.	No.	In.	°	°	°	°
48·3	6·6	6·5	6·2	253·9	N.N.W.	9·4	S.	11·2	W.S.W.	5·1	6330	1·11	12	4·839	95·1	45·0	147·8	35·2
47·6	6·6	6·5	5·2	217·1	N.N.W.	9·4	S.S.W.	12·6	W.	6·6	5733	2·98	11	3·538	102·4	42·8	146·4	36·0
43·5	7·3	6·8	5·5	173·5	N.W.	7·8	W.	10·2	W.	5·9	5583	1·44	15	2·783	81·0	43·0	130·5	34·3
41·8	7·0	7·5	6·4	143·7	N.W.	6·6	W.	8·4	N.W.	6·1	4876	0·52	11	2·130	70·3	35·0	126·8	27·0
38·4	7·4	7·0	6·1	133·2	N.N.W.	7·9	N.W.	9·5	N.W.	7·9	6424	2·87	18	2·222	66·9	36·2	110·6	27·3
33·8	5·7	6·1	5·3	126·1	N.W.	7·3	N.N.W.	8·0	N.N.W.	6·0	4905	1·16	13	1·149	60·0	32·1	96·6	25·9
35·3	7·0	7·7	7·1	95·8	N.W.	6·8	N.W.	8·5	N.W.	6·4	5607	2·30	24	1·289	58·6	31·9	97·4	25·4
34·8	6·0	7·0	5·1	159·1	N.N.W.	6·5	N.W.	7·6	N.W.	5·5	5112	1·19	22	1·808	66·2	34·0	105·3	29·0
34·4	6·0	7·1	5·9	171·3	N.N.W.	7·0	W.N.W	9·8	W.N.W	5·5	5089	1·09	14	2·800	71·1	34·0	128·8	25·9
39·8	6·7	6·3	5·2	223·1	N.W.	9·1	S.S.W.	11·2	W.N.W	7·1	6671	1·43	17	4·751	80·0	36·8	133·0	28·0
41·9	6·5	6·0	5·1	253·7	N.	7·9	S.S.E.	10·6	W.S.W.	4·6	5070	1·31	14	5·071	83·9	39·6	136·8	31·8
48·2	6·5	6·5	7·0	230·1	N.N.W.	7·6	S.S.E.	10·2	W.	3·9	5420	2·73	14	5·569	92·3	43·4	144·4	38·7
40·6	6·6	6·8	5·9	...	N.N.W	7·8	W.S.W.	9·8	W.N.W	5·9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
−0·6	+0·0	+0·2	+0·5	+253·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	+4128	−3·71	+35	+6·201	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	2180·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	66,820	20·13	185	37·959	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	102·4	31·9	147·8	25·4

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TASMANIAN TRADE.

Twelve Months ending 30th June, 1928.

(Figures in parentheses are those for corresponding periods of 1926-27.)

For the year 1927-28 Imports were valued at £9,529,000 (£9,406,000), an increase of £123,000 or 1 per cent. Direct Overseas Imports accounted for £1,641,000 (£1,733,000), or 17 (18) per cent. of Imports, and Interstate Imports for £7,888,000 (£7,673,000), or 83 (82) per cent. of the total.

Exports for the year were valued at £9,961,000 (£9,437,000), an increase of £524,000 or 6 per cent. Direct Oversea Exports, £3,129,000 (£2,477,000), show an increase of 26 per cent. and represent 31 (26) per cent. of total exports.

THE TRADE POSITION.

After making certain adjustments so as to make the figures collected since 1922 comparable with the years prior to 1909, that is, by the addition of duty on Direct Oversea Imports to the former, we get results as follows:—

	Imports and Duty. £1000's.	Exports. £1000's.	Excess of Exports. £1000's.	Excess of Imports. £1000's.
1900-04 (average)	2704	2927	223	—
1905-09 (average)	3448	3799	351	—
1922-23	9376	7985	—	1391
1923-24	10,128	8844	—	1284
1924-25	9090	8848	—	242
1925-26	8716	8711	—	5
1926-27	9711	9437	—	274
1927-28	9828	9961	133	—

The comparison may be put as follows:—

	Imports with Duty added as a Percentage of Exports.
1900-04 (average)	92.4 per cent.
1905-09 (average)	91.8 per cent.
1922-23	117.4 per cent.
1923-24	114.5 per cent.
1924-25	102.7 per cent.
1925-26	100.1 per cent.
1926-27	102.9 per cent.
1927-28	98.7 per cent.

There was, therefore, a large favourable balance of visible trade from 1900 to 1909. When the record is taken up again in 1922 a very large adverse balance is seen for two years, which decreased very strongly in 1924-25 to less than 3 per cent., while in 1925-26 it was practically wiped out. In 1926-27 a slight reaction is noticed followed by a clear favourable balance in 1927-28 for the first time since the resumption of collection in 1922.

In 1926-27, imports, with a rise of nearly a million pounds on the previous year, came very close to the record figure of 1923-24 and, had it not been for exceptionally good oversea and interstate fruit markets, the adverse balance would have been much heavier. On the other hand it may be noted that, although no slackening in the production of zinc occurred during 1927, exports were less by some £200,000 because an equivalent amount was recorded in July, the first month of the next financial year, 1927-28, although actually shipped late in June, 1927. The alteration in the exports on this account would improve the trade position in 1926-27 and the correct view would be to regard both years as having a small adverse balance. From a State point of view the trade year can only be considered as very satisfactory.

The proportion of Oversea trade relative to Tasmanian trade as a whole in the twelve months increased to 24½ (22½) per cent. Oversea Imports are 5 per cent. less than in 1926-27, but 8 per cent. more than in 1925-26. Oversea Exports are more than in 1926-27 by 26 per cent., and exceed 1925-26 by over one-fifth.

The distribution of trade among the various ports has altered slightly in favour of Launceston at the expense of Hobart; other ports remaining unaltered. The principal percentage figures are Hobart, 52 (54½); Launceston, 31 (28½); Burnie, 6 (6); Devonport, 5 (5).

An increase of 3½ per cent. in the aggregate trade of Tasmania is due to increases in Launceston, 13; Burnie, 2½; Devonport, ½; King Island, 75; Stanley, 7; Ulverstone, 17 per cent. respectively, offset by decreases as follows:—Hobart, 1½; Smithon, 11; and Strahan, 3. Total Interstate trade increased by ½ per cent. and Oversea trade by 13½ per cent.

IMPORTS.

The principal classes of imports were as follows:—Food and Drink (except alcoholic) £1,763,000 (£1,832,000); Clothing and Textiles, £1,724,000 (£1,694,000); Metals and Machinery, £1.932,000 (£1,812,000); Stones and Minerals, £802,000 (£869,000); Oils and Paints, £436,000 (£410,000); Animal and Vegetable Substances, £435,000 (£378,000). These classes may be further analysed to show the principal movements of items included in them and their effect on total imports:—

A.—Food and Drink (except Alcoholic)—£69,000 *decrease.*

	Increases over £10,000	Decreases over £10,000
Butter and Cheese	—	13,000
Beef	—	17,000
Oats	—	17,000
Wheat	—	39,000
Barley, &c.	—	11,000
Jam	—	20,000
Sugar	22,000	—

Other increases over £5000—Milk, breakfast foods, &c.
Other decreases over £5000—Preserves, bran and pollard, vegetables.

B.—Clothing and Textiles—£30,000 *increase.*

	Increases over £10,000	Decreases ever £10,000.
Hosiery	—	22,000
Boots and Shoes	33,000	—
Piece Goods	—	18,000
Sundry Textiles	17,000	—
Bags and Sacks	14,000	—
Yarns	—	38,000
Unspecified	37,000	—

C.—Metals and Machinery—£120,000 *increase.*

	Increases over £10,000.	Decreases over £10,000.
Machinery	106,000	—
Railway & Tramway Material	20,000	—
Cycles, Motor Cycles and Parts	—	10,000
Motor-Cars	99,000	—
Bodies for Motor-Cars	—	25,000
Chassis for Motor-Cars	—	94,000
Sundry Manufactures of Metal	17,000	—

Other increases over £5000—Aluminium, copper cable, structural iron and steel.
Other decreases over £5000—Iron and steel wire, lead, railway and tramway vehicles, sundry metals.

D.—Stones and Minerals—£67,000 *decrease.*

	Increases over £10,000.	Decreases over £10,000.
Asphalt, Bitumen, &c.	24,000	—
Coal	13,000	—
Zinc Ore	—	101,000

E.—Oils and Paints—£26,000 *increase.*

Lubricating oils, &c,—£20,000 increase.

F.—Animal and Vegetable Substances, &c.—£57,000 *increase.*

	Increas-s over £10,000.	Decreases over £10,000.
Sheep	—	14,000
Wool	79,000	—

In addition to the above items the following variations are worthy of note:—

	Increases over £10,000.	Decreases over £10,000.
Ale and Beer	—	13,000
Tobacco and Cigarettes	—	11,000
Raw Rubber and Rubber Manufactures	34,000	—
Timber and Wood Manufactures	30,000	—
Drugs and Medicines	15,000	—
Gases	12,000	—
Musical Instruments	—	11,000
"Unspecified"	—	58,000

These tables show that there has been a serious fall in the imports of calcines amounting to £101,000, which is not, however, due to a decline of production; a decrease of £39,000 in imports of wheat; a decrease of £38,000 in yarns probably due to a greater use of Tasmanian yarn; and an increase of £106,000 in machinery of different kinds. Complete motor-cars show a large increase, but are more than balanced by a corresponding fall in the values of chassis and bodies, leaving a net fall for motor-vehicles and parts of £30,000. Owing to a stricter observance by importers of the classification, a heavy fall of £58,000 in "Miscellaneous-Unspecified" is probably allocated to more definite items in the textile, metal, and other classes, where increases are shown.

A glance through the increases and decreases in the tables above would appear to show that "Buy Tasmanian Made" is rather more than an idea, and that there is a genuine tendency to develop industry in Tasmania. In the food and drink classes the items showing decreases—butter, cheese, beef, oats, wheat, barley, jam, preserves, bran, and pollard, vegetables, beer—are all produced in Tasmania. There is a large increase in sugar only, which, of course, is used in the Tasmanian production of confectionery and jam. It is difficult to draw any conclusions from the textile class, but the fact that very little increase (and that probably due to a better classification) has occurred, points to a tendency to economise in the consumption of mainland goods, and the greater use of Tasmanian yarns is indicated by a fall of £38,000 in imports of this commodity. The tendency to economise in "luxury" expenditure is illustrated by reduction in imports of motor-car parts, tobacco, and musical instruments.

Other increases in developmental imports are machinery, agricultural implements, aluminium, copper cable, structural-iron and steel, and bitumen. An increase, which should not normally occur, is shown for timber and wood manufactures, but timber imports from oversea were very low in 1926-27. Most of the timber is from oversea and comprises case material and oregon.

Sheep imported numbered 33,760 (38,161), as against 3405 (1979) exported, giving net imports of 30,355 (36,182) for the period (a decrease of about 6000).

The net imports of alcoholic liquors (551,000 gallons) show a decline of about 1500 gallons. The following table purports to show the net imports or net exports of some of the outstanding commodities which figure in both imports and exports:—

Item.		Imports.		Exports.		Net Exports.*	
		1926-27.	1927-28.	1926-27.	1927-28.	1926-27.	1927-28.
Butter	cwt.	9,328	7,688	14,529	19,600	5,201	11,912
Barley	£	16,109	3,864	283	11,706	—15,826	7,842
Oats	bus.	130,300	31,100	691,000	742,600	560,700	711,500
Wheat	bus.	865,900	779,400	27,500	222,100	—838,400	—557,300
Flour	tons	4,155	4,509	3,592	3,558	—563	—951
Ale and Beer	gals.	558,400	528,300	83,400	55,600	—475,000	—472,700
Cattle	No.	97	85	84	8,367	—13	8,282
Sheep	No.	38,161	33,760	1,272	3,405	—36,889	—30,355
Cement	tons	1,600	1,200	29,400	33,500	27,800	32,300

* A minus sign (—) indicates Net Imports.

The expenditure on imports connected with the motor traffic, allowing for motor-cars that leave the State, may be shown thus:—

	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28.
Net imports of:—	£	£	£
Cars and parts	438,000	517,000	489,000
Petrol	238,000	240,000	241,000
Tyres	99,000	147,000	154,000
	£775,000	£904,000	£884,000

Imports of petrol increased in 1927-28 about 50 per cent. in quantity, but the price fell owing to bulk transport and storage at Hobart. Most of the difference in price now goes to pay for Tasmanian labour and transport instead of being absorbed in cases and tins.

A rough classification of imports into three general groups to show:—

A. Primary products:
B. Partly manufactured goods: and
C. Finished manufactures—

shows that C. accounts for approximately three-fifths, while the remaining two-fifths is shared equally between A. and B.

EXPORTS.

Exports for the year were valued £9,961,000 (£9,437,000), an increase of £524,000 or 6 per cent.

Fresh fruit exported reached the very high figure of 4,075,000 (2,979,000) bushels, but low prices were responsible for a slight fall in value. The average f.o.b. price realised for interstate shipments of this season's apples up to the end of June was 3s. 4d. (8s. 2d.) per bushel on 804,000 bushels. The corresponding figure for oversea shipments, 2,716,000 (1,069,000) bushels was 4s. 4d. (8s. 2d.) per bushel.

Of the record apple crop in 1928 over 4,000,000 bushels were exported. Oversea markets accounted for over 2¾ million bushels of this total.

For the twelve months Oversea Exports £3,129,000 (£2,477,000) increased by about 26 per cent., and were equivalent to 31½ (26) per cent. of the total.

Exports of food and foodstuffs were valued at £3,771,000 (£3,755,000), of which the principal items were fresh fruit, £1,050,000 (£1,145,000); potatoes, £622,000 (£622,000); jams, £322,000 (£462,000); butter and cheese, £176,000 (£136,000); hops, £233,000 (£185,000); pulp, £167,000 (£270,000).

Shipments of potatoes for the year amounted to 90,000 (68,000) tons. This increased quantity, taken in conjunction with the lower prices of 1927-28, leaves the value unaltered from last year at £622,000. The average price realised was £6 18s. (£9 3s.) per ton.

Jam exports 11½ (16½) million pounds have fallen by over one-fourth in both quantity and value, and pulp has declined to rather a greater extent.

Amongst exports, other than foodstuffs, there is a large increase in furred skins £385,000 (£263,000). Wool, £1,093,000 (£877,000), rose in quantity from 38,300 to 40,300 bales at an average price of £27 (£23) per bale. Increases both in quantity and value occurred also in zinc, £1,581,000 (£1,403,000); woollens, live animals (which were principally cattle) £117,000 (£26,000), cement and carbide. It is of interest to note that the total number of cattle shipped from Tasmania in the year, including about 500 shipped direct from Flinders Island, was 8367. Exports of cattle in the past have been negligible. Copper, £294,000 (£363,000); tin, £214,000 (£294,000); silver-lead, £90,000 (£141,000); and timber £351,000 (£488,000) decreased in both quantity and value.

The total increase in value of exports for 1927-28 is very noteworthy. The value is half a million greater than last year, and more than a million greater than any previous year. The factors that have brought this result are curious and some what unexpected. The last agricultural season was well over the average in every important crop except hay, and particularly so in apples, potatoes, and peas. Yet, on account of the fall in prices the returns from export of these crops are no greater than last year.

On the whole the total exports of food and foodstuffs are precisely the same in value as last year. The increase is therefore due to other exports, and a table of the principal increases and decreases in £1000's will give the clearest view of the position.

	Increases: £1000's.	Decreases: £1000's.
Wool	216	—
Cattle	91	—
Hides and skins	50	—
Fur skins	122	—
Woollen goods	111	—
Timber	—	137
Tin	—	80
Copper	—	69
Silver-lead	—	51
Zinc	178	—
Other metals	42	—
Total	£810,000	£337,000

Prices have been the dominant factor in increases in wool, hides, fur skins, and other skins, while other increases and all decreases, except copper, are due principally to changes in quantity. Some of the increases cannot be expected to continue. Part of the increase in zinc is due to a carry-over from 1926-27. The large export of cattle is not from new production but at the expense of existing herds. The greater part of furred skins depends on the continuance of an open season for game.

The distribution of exports as regards ports of shipment is not materially different from last year, the principal percentages being Hobart, 54½ (56); Launceston, 26 (24); Burnie, 6 (6); Devonport, 6 (6).

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Hobart, 23rd January, 1929.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS, YEARS 1901 TO 1927-28.

DIRECT Oversea Trade only for years 1910 *to* 1921-22.

YEAR.	TOTAL IMPORTS.	TOTAL EXPORTS.	BALANCE OF TRADE EXCESS OF EXPORTS. (*b*)	RATE PER HEAD OF MEAN POPULATION OF—		
				Imports.	Exports. (*a*)	Balance of Trade Excess of Exports (*b*)
	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1901-05 average	2,441,592	3,146,918	705,326	13 8 8	17 6 2	3 17 6
1906-09 average	3,195,110	3,817,265	622,155	16 16 5	20 1 11	3 5 6
1909	3,129,873	3,424,405	294,532	17 0 0	18 12 0	1 12 0
1910	831,137	520,495	...	4 6 4	2 14 1	...
1911	816,806	635,223	...	4 5 10	3 6 8	...
1912	1,009,198	507,414	...	5 5 10	2 12 11	...
1913	1,025,081	522,865	...	5 5 5	2 13 7	...
1914‖	587,257	578,462	...	...	...	...
1914-15	811,255	426,252	...	4 2 9	2 3 1	...
1915-16	982,849	612,119	...	5 0 2	3 2 4	...
1916-17	1,161,576	898,511	...	5 19 7	4 12 5	...
1917-18	489,249	951,566	...	2 10 4	4 18 0	...
1918-19	608,790	1,002,093	...	3 1 2	5 1 1	...
1919-20	813,341	2,010,503	...	3 19 4	9 15 9	...
1920-21	2,264,933	1,329,583	...	10 15 2	6 6 2	...
1921-22	1,385,951	2,067,443	...	6 9 4	9 12 10	...
1922-23	9,103,554	7,984,565	— 1,118,989	42 4 7	37 0 11	— 5 3 8
1923-24	9,808,653	8,843,227	— 965,426	45 12 7	41 2 9	— 4 9 10
1924-25	8,808,460	8,848,173	+ 39,713	41 0 7	41 4 2	0 3 7
1925-26	8,450,793	8,710,855	+ 260,062	39 15 10	41 0 4	1 4 6
1926-27	9,406,273	9,437,371	+ 31,098	44 14 5	44 17 3	0 2 10
1927-28	9,528,766	9,960,917	+ 432,151	45 4 1	47 5 1	2 1 0

(*a*) Based on Produce of Tasmania only, years 1909 to 1921-22. ‖ For half-year ending 30th June, 1914.
(*b*) Figures in these columns are not fully comparable. (See Report, page 5.)

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FROM AND TO DIFFERENT COUNTRIES.

YEAR.	IMPORTS (DIRECT SHIPMENTS) FROM—					EXPORTS (DIRECT SHIPMENTS) TO—				
	Australian States.	United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	Other British Possessions.	Foreign Countries.	Australian States.	United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	Other British Possessions.	Foreign Countries.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901-05 average	1,667,754	630,262	30,919	15,612	124,045	2,045,395	605,122	30,992	38,846	426,563
1906-09 average	2,403,662	597,527	27,778	31,255	134,888	3,340,072	361,605	41,952	17,831	55,805
1909	2,347,854	555,952	27,215	31,794	127,058	3,003,782	291,111	40,594	5732	83,186
1910	(*n*)	622,282	22,809	32,029	154,017	(*n*)	351,466	41,423	23,861	103,745
1911	(*n*)	632,614	20,114	25,996	138,082	(*n*)	451,925	43,538	20,889	108,861
1912	(*n*)	745,989	32,064	24,735	206,410	(*n*)	386,176	34,068	2903	76,747
1913	(*n*)	748,177	24,552	30,916	221,436	(*n*)	346,611	36,931	5938	124,247
1914‖	(*n*)	369,969	19,612	27,559	170,117	(*n*)	381,454	24,727	17,900	154,381
1914-15	(*n*)	562,764	23,411	36,759	188,321	(*n*)	367,397	32,513	8645	11,452
1915-16	(*n*)	602,413	20,827	51,075	308,534	(*n*)	579,514	30,033	...	2572
1916-17	(*n*)	848,956	9545	44,609	258,466	(*n*)	652,822	68,728	161,422	15,539
1917-18	(*n*)	294,821	12,241	28,720	153,467	(*n*)	463,627	37,875	252,920	197,144
1918-19	(*n*)	402,280	10,570	21,108	174,832	(*n*)	587,674	11,872	118,986	283,561
1919-20	(*n*)	521,364	16,139	39,096	236,742	(*n*)	1,442,750	36,119	190,812	340,822
1920-21	(*n*)	1,264,989	11,676	66,620	921,648	(*n*)	1,164,329	70,442	250	93,454
1921-22	(*n*)	1,025,510	8600	36,874	315,767	(*n*)	1,572,649	18,998	48,157	425,979
1922-23	7,515,491	1,079,543*a*	22,338*a*	125,530*a*	360,652*a*	5,563,430	1,520,067	30,269	56,980	813,819
1923-24	7,991,349	1,113,382*a*	55,811*a*	122,727*a*	525,384*a*	6,168,322	1,462,857	35,377	48,658	1,128,013
1924-25	7,127,401	980,661*a*	99,414*a*	90,377*a*	510,607*a*	5,541,927	1,844,887	90,763	57,556	1,313,040
1925-26	6,932,583	834,928*a*	90,689*a*	113,583*a*	479,010*a*	6,132,004	1,084,468	46,567	52,038	1,395,778
1926-27	7,673,368	944,191*a*	88,725*a*	148,530*a*	551,459*a*	6,960,518	1,198,814	30,235	52,872	1,194,932
1927-28	7,887,940	907,125*a*	43,746*a*	145,751*a*	544,204*a*	6,832,367	1,477,124	22,976	52,604	1,575,846

(*n*) Not available. ‖For half-year ending 30th June, 1914. (*a*) Country of origin.

IMPORTS, INTERSTATE AND OVERSEA, 1927-28.

SUMMARY of the Nature and Value of { *Imports from Australian States.* / *Direct Oversea Imports by Countries of Origin.*

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	NATURE AND VALUE OF IMPORTS.									
	Classes I.-IV. Food, Drink, and Tobacco.	Classes V.-VII. Live Animals, Animal and Vegetable Substances.	Class VIII. Apparel, Textiles and Manufactured Fibres.	Classes IX. & X. Oils, Fats, and Waxes, Paints and Varnishes.	Class XI. Ores & Minerals.	Classes XII. & XXI. Metals and Manufactures of Metals, including Bullion & Specie.	Classes XIII. & XV. Materials, Raw and Manufactured, of Rubber, Leather, Glass, &c.	Class XIV. Timber and Manufactures of Wood.	Classes XVI.-XX. Miscellaneous, n.e.i.	Total All Classes.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Australian States (*a*)	2,302,141	371,321	1,365,271	231,635	786,872	1,453,357	366,731	84,584	926,028	7,887,940
British Countries—										
United Kingdom	29,779	37,067	301,674	13,672	2184	342,573	35,044	6044	139,088	907,125
Canada	2625	173	1319	3	...	8226	240	7237	2026	21,849
India and Ceylon	1559	327	1587	...	10	49	13	23	2008	5576
New Zealand	5830	21,345	179	...	49	1087	4	724	14,528	43,746
Other British Possessions	92,438	110	78	770	...	2	3	34	24,891	118,326
Total British Countries	132,231	59,022	304,837	14,445	2243	351,937	35,304	14,062	182,541	1,096,622
Foreign Countries—										
U.S.A.	2956	199	10,410	140,447	588	106,780	3913	9177	17,915	292,385
Belgium	...	5	1770	...	...	1307	1770	15	3281	8148
Sweden	...	154	112	4	...	1557	76	13,751	15,945	31,599
France	1385	1884	9652	356	50	4295	767	28	10,447	28,864
Germany	182	256	8972	7	57	14,647	2802	237	21,554	48,714
Japan	...	51	5368	937	...	46	339	2	267	7010
Other Foreign Countries	10,190	2544	17,926	48,449	12,066	5329	15,656	381	14,943	127,484
Total Foreign Countries	14,713	5093	54,210	190,200	12,761	133,961	25,323	23,591	84,352	544,204
Total Imports	2,449,085	435,436	1,724,318	436,280	801,876	1,939,255	427,358	122,237	1,192,921	9,528 766

(*a*) Including goods previously imported from other countries the details of which are not available.

EXPORTS, OVERSEA AND INTERSTATE, 1927–28.

SUMMARY of the Nature and Value of Exports by Countries of Immediate Destination.

COUNTRY TO WHICH GOODS WERE EXPORTED.	NATURE AND VALUE OF EXPORTS.									
	CLASSES I.-IV. Food, Drink, and Tobacco.	CLASSES V.-VII. Live Animals, Animal and Vegetable Substances.	CLASS VIII. Apparel, Textiles and Manufactured Fibres.	CLASSES IX.-X. Oils, Fats, and Waxes, Paints and Varnishes.	CLASS XI. Stones and Minerals.	CLASSES XII. and XXI. Metals and Manufactures of Metals, including Bullion and Specie.	CLASSES XIII. and XV. Materials, Raw and Manufactured, of Rubber, Leather, Glass, &c.	CLASS XIV. Timber and Manufactures of Wood.	CLASSES XVI.-XX. Miscellaneous.	Total All Classes.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
AUSTRALIAN STATES (a)	2,891,109	834,504	595,674	14,795	248,427	1,289,598	173,638	416,997	367,625	6,832,367
BRITISH COUNTRIES—										
United Kingdom	718,358	494,847	43	...	...	251,571	1	8575	3729	1,477,124
New Zealand	2780	4	37	...	...	167	...	19,609	379	22,976
India and Ceylon	30,160	965	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	31,133
Other British Countries	18,951	...	4	546	...	...	1205	765	...	21,471
Total British Countries	770,249	495,816	84	546	...	251,738	1206	28,949	4116	1,552,704
FOREIGN COUNTRIES—										
U.S.A.	...	155,457	3	...	...	2266	...	...	452	158,178
Belgium	6	67,006	...	...	51,156	133,728	...	...	732	252,628
Japan	...	17,804	...	...	...	422,048	...	...	...	439,852
Germany	88,120	149,627	...	...	30,375	315,274	...	89	1	583,486
France	59	83,303	7	...	14,726	11	...	...	5625	103,731
Other Foreign	16,363	21,334	16	...	...	...	...	6	252	37,971
Total Foreign Countries	104,548	494,531	26	...	96,257	873,327	...	95	7062	1,575,846
TOTAL EXPORTS	3,765,906	1,824,851	595,784	15,341	344,684	2,414,663	174,844	446,041	378,803	9,960,917

(a) Includes goods for re-export oversea, the details of which are not available.

IMPORTS, OVERSEA AND INTERSTATE, 1927-28.

For some items of Interstate Imports the record of quantity and value set opposite them is not complete, because further quantities of the goods in question are included under some more general heading, such as : (73) Groceries, (80) Spirits, (134) Drapery and Textiles, (150) Oils, (185) Machinery, (217) Hardware, (250) Paper and Stationery, or (296) Miscellaneous, unspecified.

n Not available.

Card Number.	Statistical Number.	Article.	Unit of Quantity.	Quantity.		Value.	
				Oversea.	Interstate.	Oversea.	Interstate.
						£	£
		CLASS I.—FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN, BUT EXCLUDING LIVING ANIMALS.					
1	1	Butter	cwt.	300	7388	2616	66,593
2	2	Butter Substitutes	cases	...	12,192	...	21,563
3	3	Cheese	cwt.	11	842	126	4928
4	4	Eggs in Shell	cases	...	19	...	35
5	5, 6, 7, 8	Other Preparations of Eggs	cubic ft.	(207 lbs.)	368	36	530
		Fish—					
6	9	Fresh, or Preserved by cold process	cwt.	45	277	140	574
7	10	Fresh Oysters	cwt.	...	25	...	44
8	11, 12	Preserved in tins, Potted, or Concentrated	cubic ft.	(252,816 lbs.)	8000	10,497	10,686
9	13, 14	All other and Unspecified	„	(4067 lbs.)	968	149	1263
10	15	Honey	cwt.	...	1790	...	3564
		Meats, Poultry, and Game—					
11	17	Bacon and Ham	„	...	2925	...	18,073
		Fresh, Smoked, or Preserved by cold process—					
12	18, 20	Beef	lbs.	...	293,428	...	4418
13	18, 22	Mutton	„	...	8919	...	172
14	18, 23	Pork	...	...	2204	...	52
15	18, 21, 24, 25	Other	lbs.	...	37,960	...	751
16	19, 26	Preserved, in tins	cubic ft.	*n*	9969	2622	14,712
17	27	Sausage Casings	...	...	...	406	9310
18	28	Meats, Poultry, and Game, Unspecified and n.e.i.	cubic ft.	...	803	...	1175
19	29, 30, 31, 32	Milk and Cream	cases	...	17,654	...	33,111
19A	...	Class I.—Unspecified and n.e.i.	cubic ft.	...	94	...	110
Total Class I...	1–32	Foodstuffs of Animal Origin	...	...	...	16,592	191,664
		CLASS II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN.					
20	33, 34, 35	Aerated and Mineral Waters	cases	...	3748	186	7769
21	37	Biscuits	cubic ft.	(4059 lbs.)	65,166	308	37,598
22	38	Caramel, Caramel Paste, and Caramel Butter	„	...	121	...	168
23	39, 40	Confectionery	lbs.	14,228	1,660,012	1685	135,021
24	41, 42	Cocoa Beans, Shells, and Nibs	„	2,437,598	...	90,834	...
25	43	Cocoa Butter and Substitutes therefor	„	932	...	191	...
26	46	Cocoa and Chocolate for potable use	„	3432	6884	148	301
27, 28, 29	47, 48, 49, 50, 51	Coffee and Chicory	cubic ft.	(9874 lbs.)	4011	454	5190
		Fodders—					
30	53	Hay and Chaff	tons	...	73	...	527
31	54	Oil Cake	„	...	64	...	675
32	55	Other and Unspecified	„	...	150	...	1272
		Fruits, Dried—					
33	56	Apples, Pears, Peaches, &c.	lbs.	...	3276	...	178
34	57, 60, 61	Currants, Raisins, and Sultanas	„	1783	563,302	130	15,892
35	58	Dates	„	56,746	157,248	683	3048
36	59, 62	Other and Unspecified	„	46,530	568,452	861	16,093
37	63, 64, 65, 66, 67	Fruits, Fresh	cases	1072	106,705	747	92,919
38	68–72	Fruits and Vegetables, n.e.i.	cubic ft.	*n*	22,724	73	15,851
39	73	Fruit Juices and Syrups (non-spirituous)	gallons	127	13,820	36	5340
40	74, 75, 76	Ginger	cubic ft.	(852 lbs.)	1286	47	1603
		Grain and Pulse, Unprepared—					
41	79	Maize	cwt.	...	3272	...	1937
42	80	Oats	bushels	640	30,477	163	7683
43	81	Wheat	„	4	779,401	2	226,548
44	77, 78, 82	Unspecified and n.e.i.	cwt.	*n*	5399	1256	3864
		Grain and Pulse, Manufactured —					
45	83	Barley, Pearl and Scotch	lbs.	...	13,216	...	58
46	84	Bran, Pollard, and Sharps	cwt.	...	41,777	...	14,781
47	85	Cornflour and Maizena	lbs.	...	222,780	...	4879
48	86	Flour	tons	...	4509	...	57,553
49	88	Oatmeal, Wheatmeal, and Rolled Oats	cwt.	334	285	915	358

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Card Number.	Statistical Number.	Article.	Unit of Quantity.	Quantity.		Value.	
				Oversea.	Interstate.	Oversea.	Interstate.
						£	£
		CLASS II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN—*continued.*					
		Grain and Pulse, Manufactured—*continued.*					
50	90, -2	Rice	cwt.	80	4541	97	5892
51	86, 87, 89, 93	Unspecified and Other	cubic ft.	*n*	67,197	1	26,637
52	94	Hops	lbs.	2829	8806	331	539
53	95–6	Infants' and Invalids' Foods	cubic ft.	*n*	3344	472	6366
54	97	Jams and Jellies	lbs.	1376	932,520	85	24,405
55	98	Jelly Crystals and Powders	cubic ft.	*n*	5318	2	6408
56	99, 100, 101	Liquorice	lbs.	294	*n*	33	136
57	102	Macaroni and Vermicelli	„	160	52,270	6	910
58	104	Mustard	cubic ft.	*n*	127	2	337
59	105–111	Nuts, Edible	„	(52,534 lbs)	6475	4123	7040
60	112, 113	Peel, Candied and otherwise Preserved	„	*n*	2002	11	2166
61	114–121	Pickles, Sauces, Chutneys, Capers, and Soy	cases	*n*	12,065	82	21,314
62	122, 134	Sago and Tapioca	sacks	*n*	984	76	1264
63	123–4	Seeds (Canary, Hemp, Rape, and Mustard)	cwt.	1297	727	991	898
64	125–7	Spices, Ground and Unground	cubic ft.	(13,982 lbs)	513	1003	1404
		Sugar—					
65	128	Cane Sugar	tons	15	14,335	333	530,233
66	130, 132	Molasses, Golden Syrup, &c.	cwt.	...	4889	...	6653
67	129, 131, 133	N.e.i.	„	2009	415	1537	742
68	135–6	Tea	lbs.	20,891	1,520,200	1382	123,328
		Vegetables—					
69	139	Onions	tons	...	746	...	5217
70	138, 140, 141	N.e.i. and Unspecified	cubic ft.	*n*	5944	14	1923
71	142	Vinegar	gallons	7013	60,316	1584	5660
72	36, 44, 45, 52, 103, 137, 143	Unspecified and n.e.i.	cubic ft.	*n*	5141	86	7135
73	—	Groceries Unspecified	cubic ft.	...	131,130	...	136,541
Total Class II....	33–143	Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin	...	...	...	110,970	1,580,254
		CLASS III.—SPIRITUOUS AND ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS.					
74	144–5	Ale, Beer, and Porter	gallons	9956	513,377	3484	114,819
75	146	Cider and Perry	„	...	192	...	67
		Spirits—					
76	147–8	Brandy	„	907	5240	759	12,076
77	149–50	Gin, Schnapps, and Geneva	„	5321	5083	2790	13,822
78	152, 153	Rum	„	476	3590	151	4199
79	154, 155	Whisky	„	6731	15,920	8698	46,087
80	151, 156	Unspecified and n.e.i.	„	510	6151	524	14,376
81	157–160	Wines	„	632	42,132	477	23,835
Total Class III...	144–160	Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors	„	24,533	591,685	16,883	229,281
		CLASS IV.—TOBACCO AND PREPARATIONS THEREOF.					
82	161–4, 167	Tobacco	cubic feet	(1269lbs.)	38,058	264	237,302
83	165, 166	Cigars and Cigarettes	„	(3342lbs.)	10,189	2235	63,640
Total Class IV...	161–167	Tobacco and Preparations thereof	„	(4611lbs.)	48,247	2499	300,942
		CLASS V.—LIVE ANIMALS.					
84	169	Cattle	number	...	85	...	1137
85	170	Horses	„	...	354	...	13,181
86	171	Pigs	„	...	2	...	5
87	172	Poultry	...	*n*	715	36	574
87A	173	Sheep	number	...	33,760	...	40,785
87B	168, 174	Other Animals	„	*n*	212	142	1334
Total Class V....	168–174	Live Animals	...	...	...	178	57,016

IMPORTS—*continued.*

Card Number.	Statistical Number.	Article.	Unit of Quantity.	Quantity.		Value.	
				Oversea.	Interstate.	Oversea.	Interstate.
						£	£
		CLASS VI.—ANIMAL SUBSTANCES (MAINLY UNMANUFACTURED). NOT FOODSTUFFS.					
88	176–7	Feathers (Dressed and Undressed) ...	cubic feet	*n*	10	8	76
89	179	Gelatine of all kinds	,,	*n*	981	2	1487
90	180, 181	Glue of all kinds	cwt.	*n*	1826	2	4897
91	182–5	Hair	bales	*n*	81	72	484
		Hides and Skins—					
92	186–9	Hides (Calf, Cattle, and Horse)	cwt.	...	738	...	2783
93	191–2	Sheepskins	bales	...	41	...	1230
94	190, 193	Other and Unspecified	,,	...	120	...	6454
95	197, 198	Wool, Greasy and Scoured	,,	1265*	10,176	48,414	253,549
96	175,194,195,196	Other and Unspecified	cubic feet	*n*	35	1864	132
Total Class VI.	175–198	Animal Substances (Mainly Unmanufactured)	...	...	...	50,362	271,092
		CLASS VII.—VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES AND FIBRES.					
97	201–4	Corks and Cork Manufactures	cubic feet	*n*	5102	102	2580
98	205–216	Fibres	,,	*n*	17,894	1848	11,495
99	219-24	Gums and Resins	cwt.	666	251	970	397
100	227	Plants, Trees, and Bulbs	cubic feet	*n*	8505	220	3276
		Seeds—					
101	233-4	Linseed and Linseed Meal	cwt.	...	5377	...	3221
102	231–2, 235-6	Other and Unspecified	,,	*n*	7098	8596	15,907
103	237	Sponges	cubic feet	*n*	8	113	30
104	238-9	Starch and Starch Flour	,,	(11,385 lbs)	3873	112	3244
105	240	Straw	tons	...	10	...	33
106	241-6	Tanning Substances	cwt.	*n*	2156	1239	2344
107	199, 200, 217, 218, 225, 226, 228, 229, 230	Other and Unspecified	cubic feet	*n*	813	375	686
Total Class VII.	199-246	Vegetable Substances and Fibres	...	...	...	13,575	43,213
		CLASS VIII.—(a) APPAREL, (b) TEXTILES, & (c) MANUFACTURED FIBRES.					
		(a) Apparel.					
		Apparel and Attire—					
108	247-253	Blouses, Skirts, Coats &c.	cubic feet	*n*	22	4514	89
109	254	Corsets	,,	*n*	3278	728	9772
110	255, 273	Furs and other Skins	,,	*n*	331	2089	4252
111	256, 259-61	Hosiery	,,	*n*	3960	22,472	15,055
112	257	Men's & Boys' Outer Clothing	,,	*n*	277	4141	927
113	258	Underclothing, &c.	,,	*n*	261	607	708
114	263-69	Boots and Shoes of all Materials	,,	*n*	62,500	5897	176,452
115	274-6	Gloves	,,	*n*	35	4630	357
116	277-9	Hair—Articles of Natural or Imitation Hair	,,	*n*	...	47	...
117	280-87	Hats and Caps	,,	*n*	20,443	10,868	32,518
118	288-91, 270-71	Trimmings and Ornaments	,,	*n*	167	6988	528
119	293	Umbrellas, Parasols, Sunshades	,,	*n*	467	87	1413
120	272, 292, 262	Unspecified and n.e.i.	,,	*n*	14,050	8299	51,883
		(b) Textiles.					
121	295-7	Blankets, Rugs, Rugging, &c.	,,	*n*	3312	644	5437
122	303-6	Floor Coverings	,,	*n*	12,754	51,664	19,001
		Piece Goods—					
123	309-10, 352	Canvas and Duck	,,	*n*	3189	5182	7533
124	311-19	Cotton and Cotton Linen	,,	*n*	3511	103,256	9719
125	320-26	Felts	,,	*n*	750	101	568
126	327	Hessian and other Jute	,,	*n*	1660	1025	1920
127	331	Linen, n.e.i.	,,	*n*	18	2116	32
128	334-5	Silk, &c.	,,	*n*	299	17,061	4445
129	337-39	Waterproof Cloth	,,	*n*	160	299	289
130	341-46	Woollens or Containing Wool	,,	*n*	9182	21,949	43,731
131	308, 328-30, 332-3, 336, 340, 347-8	Unspecified and n.e.i.	,,	*n*	2065	19,936	8228
132	350-51	Sewing, and other Cottons, Threads, &c.	,,	*n*	4371	3365	13,053
133	294, 307, 349, 298-302, 353	Other	,,	*n*	7016	30,569	10,109
134	...	Textiles and Drapery, Unspecified	,,	...	215,054	...	728,799

* Oversea imports of wool totalled 890,591 lbs.

IMPORTS—*continued.*

Card Number.	Statistical Number.	Article.	Unit of Quantity.	Quantity.		Value.	
				Oversea.	Interstate.	Oversea.	Interstate
						£	£
		CLASS VIII.—*continued.*					
		(c) Manufactured Fibres.					
		Bags and Sacks—					
135	354	Bran and Chaff	bales	...	2029	...	34,996
136	355	Corn and Flour	,,	...	6736	...	81,701
137	358	Second-hand	,,	...	1842	...	13,745
138	360	Woolpacks	,,	...	1076	...	11,075
139	356-7, 359, 361	N.E.I. and Unspecified	,,	*n*	2796	5	28,622
140	362	Nets and Netting for Fishing and Rabbiting	cubic feet	*n*	59	322	125
141	363-8	Cordage and Twines	cwt.	*n*	8730	6281	26,321
		Yarns—					
142	375-77	Woollen and Worsted	cubic feet	*n*	1948	16,650	7916
143	369-74, 378	N.E.I.	,,	*n*	8246	7255	13,952
Total Class VIII.	247-378	(a) Apparel, (b) Textiles, (c) Manufactured Fibres	...	...	...	359,047	1,365,271
		CLASS IX.—OILS, FATS, AND WAXES.					
		Oils –					
144	387, 399	Castor and Olive	cubic feet	(3006gals.)	2002	1125	2391
145	394	Kerosene, &c.	gallons	547,323	199,819	18,690	14,774
146	395	Linseed	,,	12,985	10,751	1934	2357
147	400-401	Petroleum and Petroleum Spirits	,,	3,665,011	876,430	151,026	89,761
148	406-7	Turpentine and Substitutes	,,	3440	3773	268	762
149	381-5, 386, 388-93, 396-8, 402-5, 408-10	Other	cubic feet	*n*	36,184	17,233	15,745
150	...	Oils, Unspecified	,,	...	87,349	...	59,364
151	413	Tallow	cwt.	...	4	...	6
152	414-18	Waxes	cubic feet	*n*	3179	5224	1982
153	379-80, 411-12	Other and Unspecified	,,	*n*	3514	1017	2765
Total Class IX.	379-418	Oils, Fats, and Waxes	...	...	...	196,517	189,907
		CLASS X.—PAINTS, COLOURS, AND VARNISHES.					
154	434	Putty	cwt.	146	259	92	353
155	437	White Lead	,,	573	1399	1226	3851
156	419-33, 436 438-44	Other	cubic feet	*n*	27,273	6810	37,524
Total Class X.	419-44	Paints, Colours, and Varnishes	...	...	...	8128	41,728
		CLASS XI.—STONES AND MINERALS (INCLUDING ORES AND CONCENTRATES).					
157	445-6, 1422	Asphalt, Bitumen, & Natural Pitch, &c.	cwt.	44,361	58,036	13,753	17,328
158	448	Coal	tons	...	81,447	...	112,152
159	449	Coke	,,	...	8917	...	20,934
160	456	Gypsum	cwt.	...	23,195	...	1442
		Ores and Concentrates—					
161	450, 466	Copper	cwt.	28	10	10	4
162	452, 476	Tin	tons	...	4	...	444
163	453, 478	Zinc	,,	...	114,833	...	627,160
164	451, 454, 460-5, 467-75, 477, 479	Other	,,	½	21	10	392
165	482	Sands, Black and Moulding	cwt.	...	45	...	26
		Stone—					
166	483-90	Abrasives	,,	*n*	218	911	671
167	491, 493-4	Granite (Unwrought, &c.), Marble (Unwrought and Scantlings)	,,	*n*	2287	4	1915
168	497, 498	Slate Slabs and Roofing	,,	...	244	...	345
169	500-504	Monumental Marble and Wrought Stones, n.e.i.	,,	*n*	1260	262	2706
170	492,-5,-6,-9	Other and Unspecified	,,	*n*	2092	39	1001
171	447, 457-9, 480-1	Other and Unspecified	,,	*n*	768	58	352
Total Class XI.	445-504, 1422	Stones and Minerals (including Ores and Concentrates)	...	..	...	15,047	786,872

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						£	£
		CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES, AND MACHINERY.					
		(a) Machinery.					
		Machines and Machinery—					
172	510	Cash Registers	cwt.	*n*	264	2	5167
173	514-17	Dairy Implements and Machinery	,,	*n*	2574	834	8401
174	518-535	Electrical Machinery and Appliances	,,	*n*	31,310	54,827	143,511
175	542-573	Implements and Machinery, Agricultural, &c., and Parts	,,	*n*	19,784	3973	53,668
176	578-584	Metal-working Machinery	,,	*n*	30	654	40
177	586-93	Mining Machinery	,,	*n*	390	965	3407
		Motive-power Machinery (except Electric)—					
178	594-96	Boilers and Cylinders therefor	,,	*n*	1108	556	2123
179	597-612	Engines	,,	*n*	1911	14,003	9787
180	613-617	Other and Unspecified	,,	*n*	974	1888	4221
181	620-22	Printing Machinery	,,	*n*	41	5014	620
182	633-5	Sewing Machines and Accessories	,,	*n*	4226	421	12,466
183	638-645	Textile Working Machinery	,,	*n*	34	17,371	179
184	505-9, 511-13, 536-41, 574-7, 585, 618-9, 623-32, 636-7, 646-650	Machinery, n.e.i.	,,	*n*	14,370	61,501	44,267
185	—	Unspecified	,,	...	28,571	...	98,432
		(b) Metals and Metal Manufactures.					
		Alloys—					
186	652-57	Brass	cwt.	39	292	393	1526
187	651, 658-65	Other	,,	*n*	254	344	1035
188	666-70	Aluminium	,,	860	163	11,552	1545
		Copper—					
189	688	Wire, Cable, &c.	,,	22	5137	102	26,718
190	683-7	Other	,,	293	1822	913	9578
191	702-5, 795	Gas Appliances, &c.	,,	*n*	7147	2226	9914
		Iron and Steel—					
192	708-10, 713	Bars, Rods, Angles and Ties, Ingots, &c.	,,	7265	22,638	4526	26,136
193	714, 720-1	Pig and Scrap	,,	302	3868	67	1561
		Plate and Sheet—					
194	716	Galvanised Corrugated	tons.	1319	798	26,662	21,595
195	715, 717-18	Galvanised, Other, and Plain	cwt.	8643	4633	8473	4601
196	719	Tinned	,,	49,059	4164	55,590	5836
197	723-25	Structural Iron and Steel	,,	433	20,592	461	28,562
198	726-30	Wire	,,	3006	19,065	3203	20,819
198A	707, 711-12, 722	Iron and Steel, n.e.i.	,,	2034	397	1419	401
199	733-36	Kettles and Cooking Utensils	,,	*n*	718	3757	1125
200	738-42	Lamps and Lampware	,,	*n*	1814	4118	3975
201	745-8	Lead	,,	...	4290	...	6420
202	751-57	Nails	,,	530	14,417	2478	15,940
203	758	Netting, Wire	rolls	(637 cwt.	6044	1042	7278
204	759-769	Pipes and Tubes and Fittings therefor	cwt.	4657	23,980	4174	28,210
205	771-3	Platedware and Cutlery	,,	*n*	386	11,198	3547
206	779-784	Railway and Tramway Material	,,	3	66,499	22	50,133
207	799-804	Tools of Trade	,,	*n*	685	19,919	2730
		Vehicles—					
208	815-24	Cycles, Motor-cycles, and Parts	,,	*n*	3313	36,336	10,566
209	—	Motor-cars	number	...	1315	...	366,628
210	825-6	Motor-vehicle Bodies and Parts of Bodies	cwt.	*n*	38,256	10,224	29,307
211	827-28	Motor-vehicle Chassis and Chassis Parts	,,	*n*	47,073	60,837	141,930
212	831-32	Railway and Tramway Vehicles, n.e.i.	,,	*n*	690	1149	1090
213	809-14, 829-30, 833-9	Vehicles and Parts, n.e.i.	,,	*n*	8136	8942	12,284
214	671, 743-4, 750A, 776, 788, 798, 843-46	Metals, n.e.i.	,,	*n*	377	1941	1852

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		CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES, AND MACHINERY—*continued.*					
215	—	Metals, Unmanufactured, Unspecified	cwt.	...	280	...	1127
216	672-682, 689-701, 706, 731-2, 737, 749-50, 770, 774-5, 777-8, 785-7, 789-94, 796-7, 805-7, 808, 840-842, 847	Manufactured Metals, n.e.i.	,,	*n*	76,304	41,821	121,574
217	—	Hardware, Manufactured Metals, Unspecified	,,	...	43,540	...	93,925
Total Class XII.	505-847	Metals, Metal Manufactures, Machinery	...	...	...	485,898	1,445,757
		CLASS XIII.—RUBBER AND LEATHER, MANUFACTURES THEREOF, AND SUBSTITUTES THEREFOR (EXCLUDING BOOTS AND SHOES).					
218	854-6	Tyres and Tubes	cwt.	*n*	30,851	6219	147,864
219	848-53, 857	Rubber and Manufactures, n.e.i.	,,	*n*	14,436	19,155	66,070
220	858-860	Belting	,,	*n*	874	1714	11,655
221	861-69	Leather, Unmanufactured	,,	*n*	5075	2252	39,858
222	870-3	Leather, Manufactured	,,	*n*	1982	889	8164
Total Class XIII.	848-873	Rubber, Leather, and Substitutes	...	...	...	30,229	273,611
		CLASS XIV.—WOOD AND WICKER, RAW AND MANUFACTURED.					
223	874-9	Furniture	cubic feet	*n*	64,888	2067	29,437
		Timber—					
224	891	Logs and Spars in the rough	super. ft.	36,507*	...	2005	...
225	903-6, 892	Undressed, n.e.i. (Bulk Timber)	,,	1,572,386	800,287	11,844	15,962
226	893	Palings	no.	...	150	...	1
227	901-2	Staves	...	...	...	...	...
228	880-90, 894-900, 907-8	N.e.i.	super. ft.	1,308,427	108,768	14,942	4113
229	909-11	Wicker, Bamboo, and Cane (not Furniture)	cubic feet	*n*	5196	105	2111
230	912-932	Wood Manufactures, n.e.i.	,,	*n*	86,282	6690	32,960
Total Class XIV.	874-932	Wood and Wicker, Raw and Manufactured	...	...	...	37,653	84,584
		CLASS XV.—EARTHENWARE, CEMENTS, CHINA, GLASS, AND STONEWARE.					
231	933-5	Bottles, Flasks, Jars, Vials, &c.	cubic feet	*n*	43,790	250	13,983
232	936-8	Bricks	tons	...	856	...	5759
233	939	Cement (Portland)	,,	409	794	1206	4033
234	940-1	Cement Materials, Asbestos, &c.	cwt.	...	11,330	...	10,046
235	942-3	Crockery	cubic feet	*n*	40,517	15,095	29,494
236	948-52	Glass	,,	*n*	10,828	7009	8169
237	953-59	Glassware and Lenses	,,	*n*	15,309	4199	12,233
238	965-7	Tiles	...	...	...	828	1668
239	944-7, 960-4, 968	N.e.i. and Unspecified	cwt.	*n*	9430	1811	7735
Total Class XV.	933-968	Earthenware, Cements, China, Glass, and Stoneware	...	...	...	30,398	93,120
		CLASS XVI.—PAPER AND STATIONERY.					
	(*a*)	Paper—					
240	971-75	Boards	cwt.	1282	32,130	1992	19,724
241	983	Fruit-wrapping Paper	,,	*n*	1307	17,948	1803
242	991-5	Printing Paper (all kinds)	,,	25,861	1326	31,580	1188
243	969-70, 976-82, 984-90, 996-1010	Paper, n.e.i.	,,	*n*	5484	14,327	8936

* Including 28,000 super. feet for Tennis racquets.

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		CLASS VI.—PAPER AND STATIONERY—*continued.*					
	(*b*)	Stationery and Paper Manufactures—					
244	1012–15	Bags and other Paper Containers ...	cubic ft.	*n*	20,038	80	11,787
245	1018	Books ...	,,	*n*	10,232	26,240	16,275
246	1024–6	Ink (Printing, Stencilling, and Writing) ...	,,	*n*	2026	943	2182
247	1044	Paperhangings and Wallpapers ...	,,	*n*	1764	7214	1621
248	1040–3, 1052–6	Paintings and Pictures ...	,,	*n*	1740	357	3496
249	1011, 1016–7, 1019-23,1027-39, 1045-51, 1057-62	Stationery and Manufactured Paper, n.e.i. ...	,,	*n*	18,893	14,854	29,290
250	...	Paper and Stationery Unspecified ...	cwt.	...	31,078	...	52,230
Total Class XVI. ...	969–1062	Paper and Stationery ...	...	...	...	115,535	148,532
		CLASS XVII.—JEWELLERY, TIMEPIECES, AND FANCY GOODS.					
		Fancy Goods—					
251	1069–70	Pipes (Smoking) and Accessories ...	cubic ft.	*n*	115	1127	642
252	1073	Toys ...	,,	*n*	5162	3163	4040
253	1063–8, 1071–2, 1074–5	N.E.I. ...	,,	*n*	22,544	10,418	40,085
254	1076–83	Jewellery ...	,,	*n*	1	1508	8
255	1084–90	Timepieces ...	,,	*n*	1296	2259	3816
Total Class XVII. ...	1063–1090	Jewellery, Timepieces, and Fancy Goods ...	...	...	...	18,475	48,591
		CLASS XVIII.—OPTICAL, SURGICAL, AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS.					
256	1094–6	Kinematograph Films ...	cubic ft.	...	2424	...	46,601
257	1108–1115	Photographic Goods ...	,,	*n*	3108	133	16,349
258	1091–3, 1097–1107, 1116–1149	Surgical, Dental, and Veterinary Instruments, &c., n.e.i. ...	,,	*n*	15,353	8245	37,293
Total Class XVIII...	1091–1149	Optical, Surgical, and Scientific Instruments ...	...	...	...	8378	100,243
		CLASS XIX.—DRUGS, CHEMICALS, AND FERTILISERS.					
		Acids—					
259	1158	Hydrochloric, Nitric, and Sulphuric	cubic ft.	...	3045	...	1576
260	1151-7,1159-63	Other and Unspecified ...	,,	*n*	8517	921	6337
261	1194	Calcium Carbide ...	cwt.	45	141	42	207
262	1201–2	Cream of Tartar and Substitutes ...	kegs	(782 cwt.)	315	4042	1771
263	1206–1212	Drugs and Medicinal Preparations ...	cubic ft.	*n*	23,480	11,031	56,503
264	1213–15	Dyes ...	,,	*n*	1783	2640	5974
265	1216–22	Fertilisers ...	tons	16,511	6207	40,777	54,527
266	1226	Gas—Carbonic Acid, Oxygen, &c. ...	cylinders	...	6519	...	29,649
		Insecticides and Disinfectants—					
267	1238–1239	Veterinary Washes and Dips ...	cubic ft.	*n*	1241	401	2098
268	1177, 1235	Fruit Sprays ...	cwt.	*n*	11,306	690	12,203
269	1233–4, 1236–7	Other ...	cubic ft.	*n*	5369	1216	5446
270	1263–8, 1309–11	Perfumery and Toilet Preparations ...	,,	*n*	4465	5575	9129
271	1275	Potassium Nitrate, Saltpetre ...	cwt.	*n*	62	2	146
272	1281–4	Salt ...	tons	10	2109	1030	10,789
273	1312	Sulphur ...	cwt.	158	899	87	540
274	1254	Wood and Methyl Alcohol ...	cubic ft.	...	4104	...	2178
275	1304	Essences, &c. ...	,,	*n*	2127	1165	5063
276	1150,1164–1176, 1178–1193, 1195–1200, 1203–5, 1223–5, 1227–32, 1240-53,1255-62, 1269–74, 1276-80,1285-1303, 1305–8, 1313–17	Chemicals, n.e.i. and Unspecified ...	,,	*n*	34,514	9689	21,826
Total Class XIX.	1150–1317	Drugs, Chemicals, and Fertilisers ...	...	...	...	79,308	225,957

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		CLASS XX.—MISCELLANEOUS.					
		Arms, Amunition, and Explosives—					
277	1319–24	Guns and Rifles	cubic feet	*n*	212	4332	1275
278	1325, 1329, 1341–4	Ammunition and Materials therefor (except Cartridges)	cwt.	*n*	131	57	355
279	1326–8	Cartridges	,,	*n*	2862	3674	19,216
280	1330-32,1334-40	Explosives, n.e.i.	,,	...	5316	...	21,509
281	1333	Fireworks	cubic feet	*n*	254	315	509
282	1347–50	Art, Works of	,,	*n*	906	201	1110
283	1353–62	Bags, Baskets, Boxes, Cases, Trunks, &c.	,,	*n*	6220	3130	3208
284	1367–74	Brushware	,,	*n*	16,785	3951	10,823
285	1377–8	Candles, Tapers, and Night-lights	cases	*n*	3673	12	8338
286	1380–3	Dressings and Polishes	cubic feet	*n*	11,781	188	20,343
287	1387–93	Matches and Vestas	cases	*n*	2064	5922	14,186
288	1394–1408	Musical Instruments	cubic feet	*n*	29,797	10,723	43,772
289	1420	Personal and Household Effects	,,	*n*	25,150	2572	12,616
290	1424–6	Soap	cases	*n*	27,929	1859	37,805
291	1432	Theatrical Costumes, &c.	cubic feet	*n*	5751	880	3640
292	1435–8	Vessels	No.	*n*	12	7	985
293	...	Returned Empties	cwt.	...	48,322	...	18,770
294	...	Samples	cubic feet	...	18,708	...	76,658
295	1318, 1345–6, 1351-52,1363-66, 1375–76, 1379,1384–86, 1409,1410–19, 1421, 1423, 1427-31,1433-34, 1439–41	Miscellaneous, n.e.i.	,,	*n*	23,495	7331	26,065
296	...	Miscellaneous, Unspecified	,,	...	57,536	...	81,522
Total Class XX.	1318–1441	Miscellaneous	...	...	...	45,154	402,705
		CLASS XXI.—GOLD, SILVER, AND BRONZE SPECIE.					
		Gold—					
297	1442	Specie	...	...	...	...	...
298	1443–4	Other	...	...	...	...	...
		Silver—					
299	1445	Specie	...	...	...	...	7600
300	1446–7	Other	...	...	...	...	...
301	1448	Bronze Specie	...	...	...	...	...
Total Class XXI.	1442–1448	Gold, Silver, and Bronze Specie	...	...	...	...	7600
		GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	£1,640,826	£7,887,940

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				Oversea.	Interstate.	Oversea.	Interstate.
		CLASS I.—FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN.				£	£
1	1	Butter	cwt.	3	19,597	28	159,329
2	3	Cheese	"	...	3839	...	16,532
3	4	Eggs	cases	...	6833	...	11,204
4	6-11	Fish, Fresh and Other (except Crayfish)	cwt.	...	12,765	...	24,738
4A	—	Crayfish	cases	...	4816	...	14,448
4B	—	Oysters	bags	...	944	...	1414
5	12	Honey	lbs.	2864	448	88	7
		Meat, Poultry, and Game—					
		Fresh, Smoked, &c.—					
6	14	Bacon and Ham	cwt.	...	1594	...	11,414
7	17	Beef	"	...	37	...	105
8	19-20	Lamb and Mutton	...	...	...	...	...
9A	—	Mutton-birds	casks	...	418	...	2821
9	18, 21-4	Other	cwt.	...	858	...	1837
10	16, 25-7	Other	cu. ft.	...	1352	...	3292
11	2, 5, 13, 28-30	Animal Foodstuffs, n.e.i.	"	...	144	...	195
Total Class I.	1-30	Foodstuffs of Animal Origin	...	...	...	116	247,336
		CLASS II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN.					
12	31	Aerated and Mineral Waters, and Cordials	cu. ft.	...	13	...	6
13	33	Biscuits	"	...	5804	...	2839
14	35	Confectionery	lbs.	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*
15	36	Cocoa and Chocolate for Potable use	"	...	*a*	...	*a*
16	38	Cocoa Butter	"	...	*a*	...	*a*
		Fodder—					
17	42	Hay and Chaff	tons	...	23,387	...	131,248
18	43-4	Other	"	...	1117	...	4611
		Fruits, Dried—					
19	45	Apples	lbs.	519,820	868,530	16,224	33,127
20	46	Apricots	"	...	1950	...	40
21	47-54	Other and Unspecified	"	...	1972	...	99
		Fruits, Fresh—					
22	55	Apples	bushels	2,716,435	1,239,854	588,564	414,904
23	60	Apricots	"	...	10,157	...	4555
24	60	Gooseberries	"	...	1296	...	1142
25	60	Peaches	"	...	...	...	...
26	58	Pears	"	43,330	63,079	19,544	15,574
27	60	Plums	"	...	104	...	28
28	56-7, 9, 60	Other	"	...	10,692	...	5987
29	—	Unspecified	"	...	43	...	30
30	61	Fruit Juices and Syrups	casks	(1575 gals.)	412	393	3865
31	62	Fruits Preserved in Liquid	lbs.	1,744,273	4,563,656	42,318	102,086
32	63-4	Fruits Pulped	"	2,073,326	7,621,548	37,306	129,264
		Grain and Pulse, Unprepared—					
33	66	Barley	bushels	18,525	45,619	3832	7874
34	67 (part)	Beans	"	...	7917	...	3596
35	69	Oats	"	2180	740,412	450	140,881
36	70	Wheat	"	205,807	16,309	48,377	4823
37	67 (part)	Peas, Grey	"	158,557	180,952	65,954	73,037
38	"	Peas, Blue	"	...	...	...	...
39	68 and 71	Other	"	...	3108	...	889
		Grain and Pulse, Prepared—					
40	72	Barley, Pearl and Scotch	tons	...	110	...	1868
41	73	Bran, Pollard, and Sharps	"	...	210	...	1636
42	75	Flour	"	47	3511	647	46,254
43	77	Oatmeal and Rolled Oats	"	...	864	...	20,193
44	78	Peas, Split	"	1	271	24	5695
45	74, 76, 79-82	Other	"	...	276	...	4670
46	83	Hops	bales	1002*b*	10,692	9942	222,857
47	85	Jams and Jellies	lbs.	1,573,987	9,921,015	46,612	275,873
48	93-4	Pickles and Sauces	cases	...	5	...	9
		Vegetables—					
49	107	Onions	cwt.	...	37	...	16
50	108	Potatoes	tons	320	89,928	1454	620,952
51	...	Parsnips and Carrots	"	...	1852	...	13,364
52	...	Swedes and Turnips	"	...	10,402	...	38,189
52A	...	Green Peas	bushels	...	3479	...	1428
53	...	Other and Unspecified	tons	...	78	...	344
54	32, 34, 37, 39-41, 65, 84, 86, 92, 95, 96-105, 110, 111	Other, Class II.	...	...	...	29	285,526
Total Class II.	31-111	Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin	...	...	...	881,670	2,619,379

a Included in "Other, Class II." *b* One bale is equivalent to 238 lbs.

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						£	£
		CLASS III.—SPIRITUOUS AND ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS.					
55	112-13	Ale, Beer, and Stout	gallons	8	55,542	3	16,639
56	114	Cider and Perry	"	16	14,280	6	4338
57	115-27	Other Spirits and Wines	"	...	967	...	1651
Total Class III...	112-127	Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors	gallons	24	70,789	9	22,628
		CLASS IV.—TOBACCO AND PREPARATIONS THEREOF.					
58	128-32	Tobacco and Preparations thereof	cubic feet	*n*	233	2	1766
Total Class IV.	128-32	Tobacco and Preparations thereof	...	...	...	2	1766
		CLASS V.—LIVE ANIMALS.					
59	133-4	Cattle	number	...	8367	...	88,467
60	135-7	Horses	"	...	86	...	10,005
61	138-9	Pigs	"	...	1633	...	5522
62	140-141	Poultry	cubic feet	...	796	...	394
63	142, 143	Sheep	number	...	3405	...	11,673
63A-64	144	Other	...	...	...	59	854
Total ClassV...	133-144	Live Animals	...	...	...	59	116,915
		CLASS VI.—ANIMAL SUBSTANCES, MAINLY UNMANUFACTURED (NOT FOODSTUFFS).					
65	145	Bones	cwt.	...	329	...	50
66	146	Feathers, Undressed	bales	...	111	...	764
67	150-2	Hair and Fibre	"	...	46	...	477
		Hides and Skins—					
68	153-5	Calf, Cattle, and Horse	cwt.	...	10,861	...	37,700
69A	159	Rabbit Skins	bales	(94,401 lbs)	2081	15,930	188,226
69	156-158, 160-2	Furred Skins, other	"	(11,331 lbs)	567	11,032	170,030
70	163-4	Sheepskins, with or without Wool	" lbs.	... 3120	... 3497	... 53,298	... 67,866
71	165	All Other	cwt.	...	...	...	...
72	166-7	Horns and Hoofs	"	...	924	...	365
73	171-3	Wool	bales (*a*)	31,707	8593	902,187	190,819
74	147-9, 168-70	Animal Substances, n.e.i.	cwt.	...	283	...	134
Total Class VI.	145-173	Animal Substances, Mainly Unmanufactured (not Foodstuffs)	...	...	...	982,447	656,431
		CLASS VII.—VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES AND FIBRES.					
75	174	Bark, Tanning	cwt.	2060	59,606	815	33,010
76	179-83	Fibres	cubic feet	...	18,780	...	9811
77	184-5	Gums and Resins	cwt.	...	...	...	...
78	186	Plants, Trees, and Bulbs	cubic feet	*n*	6406	20	2186
79	188-191	Seeds	cwt.	*n*	780	6	1712
80	195	Straw	tons	...	6124	...	14,439
81	175-8, 192-4	Other, Class VII.	cubic feet	...	...	...	...
Total Class VII.	174-195	Vegetable Substances and Fibres	...	...	...	841	61,158
		CLASS VIII.—APPAREL, TEXTILES, AND MANUFACTURED FIBRES.					
82	197-9	Boots and Shoes	cubic feet	*n*	1086	7	2343
83	206, 212	Woollen and Worsted Manufactures	"	...	205,210	...	533,130
84	196, 200-5	Apparel and Attire, n.e.i.	"	*n*	2554	95	6714
85	207-11, 213-29	Textiles and Manufactured Fibres, n.e.i.	"	*n*	8078	8	9101
86	...	Drapery and Clothing, Unspecified	"	...	10,866	...	44,386
Total Class VIII.	196-229	Apparel, Textiles, and Manufactured Fibres	...	...	...	110	595,674

(*a*) One bale approximately equivalent to 290 lbs.

EXPORTS—*continued.*

Card Number.	Statistical Number.	Article.	Unit of Quantity.	Quantity.		Value.	
				Oversea.	Interstate.	Oversea.	Interstate.
						£	£
		CLASS IX.—OILS, FATS, AND WAXES.					
87	251	Oil Shale	tons	...	3	...	27
88	253	Tallow	cwt.	...	9195	...	11,574
89	254	Wax—Beeswax	lbs.	...	400	...	11
90	230-50, 252, 255-56	Other Oils, Fats, and Waxes	cubic ft.	*n*	3680	546	2965
Total Class IX.	230-250	Oils, Fats, and Waxes	...	...	...	546	14,577
		CLASS X.—PAINTS AND VARNISHES.					
91	257-62	Paints and Varnishes	cubic ft.	...	154	...	218
Total Class X.	257-62	Paints and Varnishes	...	...	...	...	218
		CLASS XI.—STONES AND MINERALS.					
92	264	Coal	tons	...	2	...	4
93	272	Clays and Mineral Earths	,,	...	...	...	...
		Ores and Concentrates—					
94	275	Bismuth	...	...	...	...	...
95	278, 367	Copper	tons	20	181	100	5430
96	290	Nickel	,,	* 168	...	336	...
97	284	Pyrites	tons	...	...	...	...
98	285	Scheelite	...	...	...	...	...
99	267, 286	Silver Lead	tons	5323	1267	77,377	12,328
100	268, 287	Tin	,,	...	344	...	40,932
101	288	Wolfram	,,	27	145	1200	8300
102	269, 289	Zinc	cwt.	26,379	...	15,094	...
102A	...	Zinc Residues	tons	...	51,012	...	143,419
103	270, 3-4, 6-7, 9, 290	N.E.I.	,,	860	44	2150	595
		Stones—					
104	292	Grindstones	tons	...	233	...	354
105	297a	Limestone	,,	...	104,437	...	36,553
106	293-7	Other	,,	...	2	...	58
107	263-5, 271, 291	Stones and Minerals, Other and Unspecified	cwt.	...	5659	...	454
Total Class XI.	263-297	Stones and Minerals	...	...	...	96,257	248,427
		CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES, AND MACHINERY.					
		Machinery—					
108	301-6	Agricultural, &c.	cwt.	*n*	1166	134	2286
109	298-300, 307-312	Other	cubic ft.	*n*	16,694	333	27,542
		Metals—					
110	321-3	Copper	tons	...	5515	...	293,535
111	320*a*	Cadmium	cwt.	1605	3021	18,098	27,642
112	350	Osmiridium	ozs.	89	882	2198	19,477
113	336, 343	Scrap Metal	tons	305	66	740	690
114	354	Tin Ingots	,,	...	823	...	214,264
115	361-3	Zinc	,,	37,504	18,077	1,103,210	477,423
116	313-15, 317, 319, 325, 329, 331-5, 340-2, 352	N.E.I.	,,	...	10,758	...	27,451
		Vehicles —					
117	356-360	Motor Cars and Lorries	number	*n*	587	131	164,164
118	...	Cycles and Motor Cycles	,,	...	91	...	2913
119	...	Other and Parts	cubic ft.	...	12,069	...	9999
120	316, 318, 320, 324, 326-8, 330, 337, 338-9, 344-9, 351, 353-5, 364	Manufactured Metals, n.e.i.	cwt.	*n*	25,520	221	17,812
Total Class XII.	298-364	Metals, Metal Manufactures, and Machinery	...	...	...	1,125,065	1,285,198

* Low Grade Copper-nickel.

EXPORTS—*continued.*

Card Number.	Statistical Number.	Article.	Unit of Quantity.	Quantity.		Value.	
				Oversea.	Interstate.	Oversea.	Interstate.
						£	£
		CLASS XIII.— INDIA-RUBBER, LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES OF SAME (excluding Boots & Shoes)					
121	365–368	Rubber and Rubber Manufactures	cwt.	*n*	4770	1	8369
122	371–2	Leather, Unmanufactured	,,	240	3195	1205	24,521
123	370, 369, 373	Leather Manufactures	,,	...	295	...	1563
Total Class XIII.	365-373	India-rubber, Leather, and Manufactures of same	...	...	...	1206	34,453
		CLASS XIV.—WOOD AND WICKER, RAW AND MANUFACTURED.					
124	374	Furniture, Wood and Wicker	cubic feet	...	39,620	...	17,575
		Timber—					
		Dressed, n.e.i.					
125	376A	Blackwood	1000 s. ft.	...	20	...	557
126	376B	Hardwood	,,	...	1418	...	31,853
127	376C	Myrtle	,,	...	23	...	332
128	376D	Other	,,	...	...	...	...
		Logs—					
129	379A	Blackwood	,,	...	71	...	1395
130	379B	Hardwood	,,	25	63	201	433
131	379C	Myrtle	,,	...	13	...	136
132	379D	Pine	,,	...	125	...	1368
133	379E	Sassafras	,,	...	9	...	63
133A	379F	Other	,,	...	...	...	...
134	380	Palings	number (100's)	4897	18,527	4902	20,827
135	384–5	Staves, Dressed and Undressed	number	...	255,903	...	5414
		Undressed, n.e.i.—					
136	386A	Blackwood	1000 s. ft.	...	2837	...	47,296
137	386B	Hardwood	,,	2106	17,004	22,852	204,739
138	386C	Myrtle	,,	...	803	...	12,192
139	386D	Pine	,,	...	25	...	459
140	386E	Sassafras	,,	...	112	...	1645
140A	386F	Beech	,,	...	...	...	...
140B	386G	Leatherwood	,,	...	...	...	...
141	375, 377–8, 381–3	Other	cubic feet.	...	...	...	...
142	387–8	Wicker, Bamboo, Cane, and Manufactures	,,	*n*	500	1	291
143	389–394	Wood Manufactures, n.e.i.	,,	*n*	29,944	1088	17,119
143A	...	Pegs	,,	...	86,064	...	51,047
143B	...	Racquets	,,	..	747	...	2256
Total Class XIV.	374–394	Wood and Wicker, Raw and Manufactured	...	...	...	29,044	416,997
		CLASS XV.—EARTHENWARE, CHINA, CEMENT, GLASS, AND STONEWARE.					
144	395–6	Bricks	tons	...	...	...	...
145	397	Cement	tons	...	33,508	...	134,036
146	400–4	Glass and Glassware	cubic feet	...	720	...	614
147	405	Lime	cwt.	...	...	...	...
148	407	Tiles	cubic feet	...	10	...	12
149	398–9, 406	N.E.I.	,,	...	37,403	...	4523
Total Class XV.	395–407	Earthenware, China, Cement, Glass and Stoneware	...	...	...	...	139,185
		CLASS XVI.—PAPER AND STATIONERY.					
150	413–14	Inks	cubic feet	...	...	...	...
151	408–12, 415–16	Other	,,	*n*	5858	510	6573
Total Class XVI.	408–16	Paper and Stationery	...	...	...	510	6573
		CLASS XVII.—JEWELLERY, TIMEPIECES, AND FANCY GOODS.					
152	417-421	Jewellery, Timepieces, and Fancy Goods	cubic feet	*n*	188	42	396
Total ClassXVII.	417–421	Jewellery, Timepieces, and Fancy Goods	...	...	...	42	396

EXPORTS—*continued.*

Card Number.	Statistical Number.	Article	Unit of Quantity.	Quantity.		Value.	
				Oversea.	Interstate.	Oversea.	Interstate.
						£	£
		CLASS XVIII.—OPTICAL, SURGICAL, AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS.					
153	423	Films	cubic feet	*n*	1779	325	29,606
154	422, 424-30	Other	,,	*n*	831	79	3435
Total Class XVIII...	422-30	Optical, Surgical, and Scientific Instruments	...	...	...	404	33,041
		CLASS XIX.—DRUGS, CHEMICALS, AND FERTILISERS.					
155	439	Calcium Carbide	tons	...	3320	...	66,928
156	459	Oil, Eucalyptus	...	...	...	...	...
157*a*	...	Gas Liquor	cubic feet	...	6306	...	350
157 & 158	454, 455-8, 459-71, 431-8, 440-53	Other	cwt.	*n*	3356	15	3792
Total Class XIX.	431-471	Drugs, Chemicals, and Fertilisers	...	...	...	15	71,070
		CLASS XX.—MISCELLANEOUS.					
159	481, 496	Boats, Launches, and Yachts	number	...	25	...	2105
160	483	Candles, Tapers, and Night-lights	cases	...	...	...	...
161	492	Personal and Household Effects	cubic feet	*n*	61,048	871	30,161
162	494-5	Soap	cases	...	40	...	60
163	472-80, 482, 484-91, 493	All Items not elsewhere included	cu. ft.	*n*	13,981	12	7747
164	497	Miscellaneous, Unspecified	,,	*n*	9344	9324	13,608
165	...	Samples	,,	...	26,239	...	93,194
166	...	Returned Empties	,,	...	554,882	...	109,670
Total Class XX.	472-497	Miscellaneous	...	...	...	10,207	256,545
		CLASS XXI.—GOLD, SILVER, AND BRONZE SPECIE.					
167	498	Gold, Specie	...	...	...	...	4400
168	499	Gold, Bullion	...	...	...	..	...
169	500	Gold contained in Blister Copper, Ore, &c.	...	...	...	..	...
170	501	Silver, Specie	...	...	...	...	...
171	502	Silver, Bullion	...	...	...	...	...
172	503	Silver contained in Blister Copper, Ore, &c.	...	...	...	...	...
173	504	Bronze, Specie	...	...	...	...	...
Total Class XXI.	498-504	Gold, Silver, and Bronze Specie	...	...	...	...	4400
		GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	£3,128,550	£6,832,367

IMPORTS—VALUES.

Values of Principal Oversea and Interstate Imports, 1901-5, 1906-9, 1925-26, 1926-27, *and* 1927-28.

Card No.	Article.	1901–5 Average.	1906–9 Average.	1925–26.	1926–27.	1927–28.
		£	£	£	£	£
	Food, Drink, and Tobacco—					
20	Aerated Waters and Cordials	1627	2885	6767	8291	7955
	Alcoholic Beverages—					
76-81	Wines and Spirits	47,309	47,782	120,000	124,952	127,794
74-75	Other	12,572	11,141	109,657	131,132	118,370
21	Biscuits	7271	13,046	40,606	40,778	37,906
1	Butter	37,872	74,042	78,220	78,535	69,209
3	Cheese	1876	3003	3725	8595	5054
23	Confectionery	19,634	37,419	131,723	133,264	136,716
47	Cornflour	1231	1273	5719	4297	4879
48	Flour	6074	14,534	54,214	57,372	57,553
37	Fruit, Fresh	19,353	21,961	92,704	89,347	93,666
33-36	,, Dried	12,565	17,791	37,591	38,233	36,885
54	Jams and Jellies	5544	9765	28,699	44,161	24,490
2	Margarine	*n*	*n*	15,987	19,156	21,563
11-18, 6-9	Meat and Fish	26,380	45,310	81,204	86,374	75,004
19	Milk	10,027	15,220	31,524	25,837	33,111
42	Oats	1015	4074	37,347	24,847	7846
46	Pollard and Bran	1572	4024	29,473	19,904	14,781
50	Rice	7168	6829	4896	5135	5989
65	Sugar	157,731	164,944	477,803	508,302	530,566
272	Salt	3711	4622	13,594	11,258	11,819
68	Tea	50,541	60,723	119,637	124,471	124,710
82-3	Tobacco (including Cigars and Cigarettes)	64,824	66,741	298,261	313,551	303,441
71	Vinegar	2370	3282	8201	8709	7244
43	Wheat	49,470	96,175	276,689	264,197	226,550
	Other Food and Drink	66,940	92,638	220,244	242,439	241,232
73	Groceries Unspecified	...	...	166,550	138,993	136,541
	TOTAL FOOD, DRINK, AND TOBACCO	614,677	819,224	2,491,035	2,552,130	2,460,904
231	Bottles (excluding Returned Empties)	2105	4902	16,020	8359	14,233
284	Brushware	7297	10,694	13,179	16,212	14,774
232	Bricks	*n*	*n*	3037	2077	5759
285	Candles	10,437	15,815	8179	9445	8350
233	Cement	6221	8805	8302	6685	5239
	Chemicals—					
263	Drugs and Medicines	*a*	*a*	54,546	52,250	67,534
265	Fertilisers	39,131	54,816	104,270	101,535	95,304
268	Sprays	*n*	*n*	11,047	11,537	12,893
	Other Chemicals	38,014	34,098	98,474	97,294	117,715
158	Coal	22,977	60,875	97,861	99,013	112,152
159	Coke	20,238	17,992	18,162	23,013	20,934
	Drapery, Clothing, and Textiles—					
135-139	Bags and Sacks	49,370	63,784	125,934	155,762	170,144
114	Boots and Shoes	66,140	89,076	147,325	148,993	182,349
141	Cordage and Twine (including Rope)	17,729	32,359	26,493	30,757	32,602
123-131	Piece Goods	479,502	608,378	219,099	265,496	247,390
	Other			1,010,403	1,093,199	1,091,833
235	Earthenware and China	17,743	19,755	46,078	44,299	44,589
236-7	Glass and Glassware	16,300	19,084	27,429	29,001	31,610
	Live Animals—					
84	Cattle	9106	8223	1064	2059	1137
85	Horses	18,425	17,124	17,107	16,608	13,181
87A	Sheep	30,908	64,257	34,243	54,536	40,785
	Other	597	842	2495	1751	2091
221	Leather	16,530	29,757	62,819	39,055	42,110
287	Matches	4400	*n*	20,549	17,092	20,108
	Metals, Metal Manufactures, and Machinery—					
194	Galvanised Corrugated Iron	32,583	42,795	44,388	44,460	48,257
172-185	Machinery	143,879	173,515	334,861	442,010	548,298
209	Motor-cars (Complete)	3478	16,990	239,589	267,362	366,628
204	Pipes	14,970	31,339	34,666	27,211	32,384
202	Nails	9032	12,350	17,366	16,938	18,418
196	Tinned Plates	*n*	*n*	43,164	59,693	61,426
203	Wire Netting	16,693	27,829	10,414	7004	8320
198	Wire, Other (Iron and Steel)			30,813	29,846	24,022
	Other	*n*	*n*	814,479	917,604	823,902
	Oils—					
147	Benzine and Other Petroleum Spirits	*n*	*n*	238,028	240,303	240,787
145	Kerosene	17,657	22,576	22,574	29,852	33,464
	Other Oils	16,079	21,648	75,922	80,500	101,179
161-164	Ores	4999	7390	476,540	729,326	628,020
240-250	Paper and Stationery	80,108	101,256	234,477	279,594	264,067
218-219	Rubber Goods	*n*	*n*	184,799	205,243	239,308
290	Soap	13,046	23,224	33,188	35,113	39,664
224-228	Timber	26,722	35,284	42,682	28,488	48,867
293	Empty Returns	*n*	*n*	21,626	21,137	18,770
294	Samples	*n*	*n*	86,308	86,377	76,658
	Not Elsewhere Included	646,500	699,054	799,759	980,054	1,050,607
	TOTAL IMPORTS £	2,513,593	3,195,110	8,450,793	9,406,273	9,528,766

a Included with "Other Chemicals." *n* Not available.

IMPORTS—QUANTITIES.

QUANTITIES of Principal Oversea and Interstate Imports, 1901-5, 1906-9, 1925-26, 1926-27, *and* 1927-28.

Card No.	Article.	Unit of Quantity.	1901–5 Average.	1906–9 Average.	1925–26.	1926–27.	1927–28.
	Food, Drink, and Tobacco—						
20	Aerated Waters and Cordials	cases	*n*	*n*	3149	3754	3816
	Alcoholic Beverages—						
76–81	Wines and Spirits	gallons	120,842	123,435	93,906	96,398	92,693
74–75	Other	,,	80,163	84,789	505,723	568,729	523,525
21	Biscuits	cubic ft.	253,665*a*	399,799*a*	70,305	68,456	65,790
1	Butter	cwt.	7313	13,590	9242	9328	7688
3	Cheese	,,	631	967	743	1515	853
23	Confectionery	lbs.	660,266	1,271,000	1,533,496	1,585,076	1,674,240
47	Cornflour	,,	87,246	92,481	223,480	163,280	222,780
48	Flour	tons	792	1721	3598	4155	4509
37	Fruit, Fresh	cases	66,765	73,600	123,027	101,994	107,777
33–36	,, Dried	lbs.	974,515	1,127,784	1,506,445	1,535,515	1,397,337
54	Jams and Jellies	,,	414,063	771,930	1,101,558	1,996,649	933,896
2	Margarine	cases	*n*	*n*	9327	10,532	12,192
19	Milk	,,	554,455*a*	786,413*a*	16,484	15,094	17,654
42	Oats	bushels	11,625	38,000	179,595	130,274	31,117
46	Pollard and Bran	cwt.	7757	9034	81,642	50,844	41,777
50	Rice	,,	8724	8421	4443	4582	4621
65	Sugar	tons	9231	10,208	13,016	13,709	14,350
272	Salt	,,	1878	1828	2527	2119	2119
68	Tea	lbs.	1,146,202	1,273,775	1,605,490	1,579,920	1,541,091
82–3	Tobacco (including Cigars and Cigarettes)	cubic ft.	*n*	*n*	47,029	41,844	48,604
71	Vinegar	gallons	27,416	30,374	68,689	77,556	67,329
43	Wheat	bushels	272,700	502,463	905,262	865,898	779,405
73	Groceries, Unspecified	cubic ft.	*n*	*n*	152,612	130,540	131,130
232	Bricks	tons	*n*	*n*	624	273	856
285	Candles	cases	479,032*a*	752,090*a*	3759	4592	3679
233	Cement	tons	2452	3297	1861	1557	1204
	Chemicals—						
265	Fertilisers	,,	9764	11,615	21,901	19,987	22,719
268	Sprays	cwt.	*n*	*n*	10,801	10,094	11,992
158	Coal	tons	52,613	97,952	86,096	81,505	81,447
159	Coke	,,	20,458	24,260	7706	9388	8917
	Live Animals—						
84	Cattle	number	789	664	47	97	85
85	Horses	,,	927	458	283	318	354
87A	Sheep	,,	35,273	72,353	25,321	38,161	33,760
221	Leather	cwt.	*n*	*n*	7400	5411	5317
	Metals, Metal Manufactures, and Machinery—						
194	Galvanised Corrugated Iron	tons	2156	2369	1731	1707	2117
209	Motor-cars (complete)	number	...	...	692	907	1315
204	Pipes	cwt.	11,900	*n*	28,609	23,651	28,637
202	Nails	,,	12,650	15,000	14,324	13,111	14,947
196	Tinned Plates	,,	*n*	*n*	34,110	46,304	53,223
203	Wire Netting	rolls			8000	5670	6914
198	Wire, Other (Iron and Steel)	cwt.	22,010*b*	33,400*b*	27,196	29,734	22,071
	Oils—						
147	Benzine and other Petroleum Spirits	gallons	*n*	*n*	2,835,014	3,077,109	4,541,441
145	Kerosene	,,	416,888	509,824	500,995	536,620	747,142
161–164	Ores	tons	251	270	85,088	125,270	114,860
290	Soap	cases	907,567*a*	1,558,000*a*	22,921	22,053	29,241
224–228	Timber	super. ft.	3,787,000	*n*	3,415,352	1,736,414	3,926,525

a Pounds. *b* Cwt. *n* Not available.

EXPORTS—VALUES.

Values of Principal Oversea and Interstate Exports, 1901-5, 1906-9, 1925-26, 1926-27, *and* 1927-28.

Card No.	Article.	1901-5 Average.	1906-9 Average.	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28.
	Food and Drink—	£	£	£	£	£
55	Ale and Beer	18,327	14,835	33,464	22,482	16,642
6	Bacon and Hams	2859	1675	21,014	14,684	11,414
40	Barley, Pearl	*a*	*a*	1414	2660	1868
1	Butter	8830	22,500	102,722	121,206	159,357
17	Chaff	46,474	25,584	20,131	48,162	131,248
2	Cheese	4355	5311	13,947	14,854	16,532
56	Cider	300	361	6388	5644	4344
15	Cocoa	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*
14	Confectionery					
4, 4A, 4B	Fish	5165	5493	41,286	46,389	40,600
42	Flour	3180	3946	41,624	50,055	46,901
22–29	Fruit, Fresh	262,382	234,507	651,581	1,145,197	1,050,328
19–21	„ Dried	5985	10,107	35,702	40,740	49,490
31	„ Preserved	30,634	82,441	122,134	121,025	144,404
32	„ Pulped	33,485		199,906	270,375	166,570
46	Hops	39,869	62,239	162,969	184,554	232,799
47	Jam and Jellies	88,722	111,711	393,717	462,500	322,485
43	Oatmeal, &c.	899	1617	10,886	14,582	20,193
35	Oats	77,747	97,287	61,697	116,339	141,331
37–38	Peas, Unprepared	15,531	24,498	84,015	133,118	138,991
44	„ Split	*a*	*a*	3553	5040	5719
50	Potatoes	268,363	324,039	598,678	621,938	622,406
52	Turnips	*a*	*a*	53,203	25,152	38,189
	Other	29,447	19,831	284,314	316,529	409,327
	TOTAL FOOD AND DRINK	942,554	1,047,982	2,944,345	3,783,225	3,771,138
155	Carbide	...	...	52,915	51,098	66,928
145	Cement	...	...	114,449	117,567	134,036
69	Furred Skins	46,961	52,083	275,714	263,069	385,218
68	Hides	52,394	19,459	28,450	25,199	37,700
122	Leather	10,101	13,783	15,009	27,591	25,726
105	Limestone	...	...	46,854	54,344	36,553
	Live Animals—					
59	Cattle	65	1185	2746	1097	88,467
60	Horses	8165	18,421	13,985	12,810	10,005
63	Sheep	37,739	41,350	10,041	6398	11,673
	Other	485	1161	4718	5199	6829
	Metal and Ores—					
111	Cadmium	...	...	50,509	28,214	45,740
110	Copper, Blister	623,848	564,979	347,701	362,794	293,535
112	Osmiridium	...	...	127,455	27,960	21,675
99	Silver-lead Ore	146,774	182,578	182,123	141,001	89,705
—	Silver-lead Bullion	197,759	86,692*d*	...	...	...
114	Tin	270,978	464,138	239,928	294,402	214,264
115	Zinc	60	...	1,589,197	1,402,825	1,580,633
102	Zinc Ore	815	4060	27,025	25,302	15,094
94, 96-8, 100-1, 103, 113, 116	Other	83,379	89,694	141,353	187,850	231,343
117	Motor-Cars and Lorries	*b*	*b*	157,157	165,334	164,295
70	Sheepskins	*c*	64,436	94,353	82,841	121,164
80	Straw	12,376	5292	11,341	14,694	14,439
88	Tallow	7838	12,921	8387	10,177	11,574
75	Tanning Bark	31,106	25,033	26,646	36,948	33,825
	Timber—					
125–28	Dressed	1752	809	66,949	52,132	32,742
129–133A	Log	2442	1773	29,266	6649	3596
134	Palings	5121	6994	33,700	46,743	25,729
136-140	Sawn	49,163	121,350	404,205	382,612	289,183
135	Staves	428	739	11,184	8429	5414
73	Wool	302,320	429,185	815,676	877,329	1,093,006
83	Woollen Manufactures	4082	14,542	334,834	422,369	533,130
165	Samples	*b*	*b*	77,739	81,400	93,194
166	Empty Returns	*b*	*b*	84,885	100,108	109,670
	Not Elsewhere Included	308,213	552,229	340,016	331,581	363,694
	TOTAL EXPORTS	3,146,918	3,822,868	8,710,855	9,437,371	9,960,917

a Included with "Other Food and Drink." *b* Included with "N.E.I." *c* Included with "Hides."
d £346,769 in 1906, and nil for following years.

EXPORTS—QUANTITIES.

QUANTITIES of Principal Oversea and Interstate Exports, 1901-5, 1906-9, 1925-26, 1926-27, *and* 1927-28.

Card No.	Article.	Unit of Quantity.	1901-5 Average.	1906-9 Average.	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28.
	Food and Drink—						
55	Ale and Beer	gallons	221,287	242,264	124,220	83,435	55,550
6	Bacon and Hams	cwt.	765	385	3002	2280	1594
40	Barley, Pearl	tons	*n*	*n*	78	171	110
1	Butter	cwt.	1966	4779	13,714	14,528	19,599
17	Chaff	tons	11,600	4736	3823	10,115	23,387
2	Cheese	cwt.	1489	1806	2971	3198	3839
56	Cider	gallons	1600	1916	19,816	18,760	14,296
15	Cocoa	lbs.	4329	*n*	*n*	*n*	*n*
14	Confectionery	,,	6060	8775			
4, 4A	Fish	cwt.	*n*	6980	15,245	15,488	13,709
		cases	...	...	3959	5017	4316
42	Flour	tons	357	435	2913	3592	3559
22-29	Fruit, Fresh	bushels	1,141,369	958,788	3,268,093	2,934,364	4,074,990
19-21	,, Dried	lbs.	*n*	406,793	909,803	1,065,400	1,392,272
31	,, Preserved	,,	*n*	14,000,000	5,471,142	5,268,543	6,307,929
32	,, Pulped	,,	3,555,732		10,351,329	14,607,768	9,694,874
46	Hops	bales (230 lbs.)	3180	5581	7481	9148	11,694
47	Jams and Jellies	lbs.	6,034,791	8,341,289	14,152,817	16,514,644	11,495,002
43	Oatmeal, &c.	tons	58	106	514	675	864
35	Oats	bushels	661,353	750,728	313,099	691,028	742,592
37-38	Peas, Unprepared	,,	80,050	109,652	196,102	292,747	339,509
44	,, Split	tons	...	...	204	285	272
50	Potatoes	,,	73,558	73,878	47,401	67,686	90,248
52	Turnips	,,	...	...	9211	6916	10,402
155	Carbide	,,	...	...	2425	2451	3320
145	Cement	,,	...	...	28,612	29,396	33,508
69	Furred Skins	bales	*n*	*n*	2676	2487	2912
68	Hides	cwt.	*n*	19,576*b*	12,679	11,353	10,861
122	Leather	,,	1970	*n*	2108	3520	3435
105	Limestone	tons	...	...	133,869	155,554	104,437
	Live Animals—						
59	Cattle	number	1	228	371	84	8367
60	Horses	,,	188	335	107	109	86
63	Sheep	,,	6880	6809	6042	1979	3405
	Metals and Ores—						
111	Cadmium	tons	...	...	242	156	232
95	Copper, Blister	,,	9432	10,097	6348	6628	5515
112	Osmiridium	ozs.	...	...	4809	1854	971
99	Silver-lead Ore	tons	13,262	15,616	9679	8812	6590
94	Silver-lead Bullion	,,	6866	3856	...	...	...
114	Tin	,,	2184	3015	884	983	823
115	Zinc	,,	7	...	43,768	41,709	55,581
102	Zinc Ore	,,	255	1101	3896	52,145	1319
117	Motor-cars and Lorries	number	*n*	*n*	496	546	587
70	Sheepskins	bales	*n*	323,876*b*	4792	4058	6617
80	Straw	tons	6710	2636	4678	5467	6124
88	Tallow	cwt.	9990	10,541	5778	7796	9195
75	Tanning Bark	,,	89,654	70,861	49,022	65,415	61,666
	Timber—						
125-28	Dressed	super. ft.	...	...	3,060,686	2,546,014	1,461,131
129-133A	Log	,,	457,196	467,868	3,056,516	655,693	306,884
134	Palings	number	1,208,581	1,286,922	2,990,700	3,997,200	2,342,400
136-140	Sawn	super. ft.	12,142,603	26,355,637	32,017,200	29,542,100	22,888,900
135	Staves	number	109,960	138,966	439,964	338,820	255,903
73	Wool	lbs. (*a*)	8,479,795	10,280,103	10,310,080	11,095,980	11,687,000
83	Woollen Manufactures	cubic ft.	...	...	48,349	171,614	205,210
165	Samples	,,	*n*	*n*	20,227	20,713	26,239
166	Empty Returns	,,	*n*	*n*	319,386	502,696	554,882

a 290 lbs. are equivalent to one bale. *b* Number. *c* Pounds. *n* Not available.

EXPORTS OF APPLES AND PEARS.

BUSHELS.

Year ended 31st December.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Year ended 31st December.	Oversea.	Interstate.
1910	547,425	Not available.	1920	457,833	Not available.
1911	782,588		1921	585,563	
1912	664,822		1922	1,354,553	
1913	612,523		1923	1,530,700	1,506,000
1914	951,722		1924	1,068,000	580,000
1915	493,217		1925	1,350,000	612,000
1916	814,590		1926	2,147,000	1,673,000
1917	132,190		1927	1,106,829	1,365,758
1918	Nil		1928	2,756,780	1,313,079
1919	262,633				

IMPORTS, EXPORTS, AND TOTAL TRADE OF TASMANIAN PORTS.

FINANCIAL YEARS, 1926-27 AND 1927-28.

Port.	Imports.		Exports.		Total Trade.		Proportion of Total Trade per £1000	
	1926-27	1927-28	1926-27	1927-28	1926-27	1927-28	1926-27	1927-28
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Burnie	562,911	588,488	588,871	593,182	1,151,782	1,181,670	61	60½
Devonport	446,359	419,767	562,076	591,242	1,008,435	1,011,009	53½	52
Flinders Island	...	2000	...	5070	...	7070	...	½
Hobart	4,978,628	4,667,095	5,281,468	5,432,813	10,260,096	10,099,908	544	518½
King Island	28,849	26,657	41,638	96,938	70,487	123,595	4	6
Launceston	3,112,820	3,476,329	2,274,515	2,602,693	5,387,335	6,079,022	286	312
Smithton	48,610	45,071	62,121	53,586	110,731	98,657	6	5
Stanley	53,580	49,662	145,442	163,349	199,022	213,011	10½	11
Strahan	85,646	140,242	362,794	293,535	448,440	433,777	24	22
Ulverstone	88,870	113,455	118,446	128,509	207,316	241,964	11	12½
TOTAL TASMANIA...	9,406,273	9,528,766	9,437,371	9,960,917	18,843,644	19,489,683	1000	1000
Total Oversea	1,732,905	1,640,826	2,476,853	3,128,550	4,209,758	4,769,376	224	245
Total Interstate	7,673,368	7,887,940	6,960,518	6,832,367	14,633,886	14,720,307	776	755

PROPORTION OF INTERSTATE TO TOTAL TRADE.

YEAR.	IMPORTS.	EXPORTS.	IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.
	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.
1901-05 ....average	68·30	65·01	66·44
1906-09 ....average	75·22	87·50	81·91
1909	76·30	87·72	82·26
1922-23	82·56	69·67	76·54
1923-24	81·46	69·76	75·92
1924-25	80·92	62 64	71·76
1925-26	82·03	70·40	76·12
1926-27	81·58	73·75	77·66
1927-28	82·80	68·60	75·55

NOTE.—The Customs Department ceased to record interstate transfers on 13th September, 1910. Less elaborate returns have been supplied through the agency of Marine Boards since July, 1922 Between these dates no record of interstate trade is available.

TRADE OF TASMANIAN PORTS, 1927-28.

IMPORTS (Oversea and Interstate.)

Card No.	Description.	Values.								
		Burnie.	Devonport.	Hobart.	King Island.	Launceston.	Smithton.	Stanley.	Strahan.	Ulverstone.
	Food, Drink, and Tobacco—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
20	Aerated Waters and Cordials	452	207	5660	23	1459	133	5	...	16
	Alcoholic Beverages—									
76–81	Wines and Spirits	4236	6422	70,926	360	43,086	354	1076	3	1331
74–75	Other	12,979	14,487	28,705	915	57,468	748	1264	...	1804
21	Biscuits	2506	1866	14,372	185	16,158	206	487	628	998
1	Butter	16,467	3241	27,290	...	22,092	...	...	114	5
3	Cheese	348	841	2210	9	1346	...	4	120	176
23	Confectionery	8837	8571	68,059	475	46,127	1559	1385	145	1548
47	Cornflour	64	272	2788	...	1712	...	...	11	32
48	Flour	14,082	9421	17,262	1465	989	4701	2011	2662	4960
37	Fruit, Fresh	12,770	5299	33,924	269	39,554	173	1238	26	413
33–36	,, Dried	1469	4431	17,116	2	12,978	98	118	266	407
54	Jams and Jellies	278	238	22,341	13	851	113	86	435	135
2	Margarine	693	748	14,786	...	4856	84	32	...	364
11-18,6-9	Meat and Fish	1759	4050	46,108	428	21,406	4	96	496	697
19	Milk	2981	1540	19,362	42	8077	318	95	581	115
42	Oats	3097	2137	247	527	469	75	405	4	885
46	Pollard and Bran	1380	195	8820	983	475	1485	276	1095	72
50	Rice	249	392	2891	7	2218	60	28	13	131
65	Sugar	22,329	33,982	347,358	1010	106,716	5138	3264	2779	7990
272	Salt	494	1032	5915	85	3866	156	85	67	119
68	Tea	4487	11,042	61,147	297	42,270	565	946	2007	1949
82–3	Tobacco (including Cigars and Cigarettes)	11,563	31,628	146,403	180	106,017	1850	387	2544	2869
71	Vinegar	188	583	3283	...	3055	7	14	54	60
43	Wheat	...	71	147,927	260	78,197	73	...	19	3
	Other Food and Drink	3762	9719	177,293	997	46,021	552	460	951	1477
73	Groceries Unspecified	28,109	9994	34,170	5007	33,109	6686	5270	10,287	3909
	TOTAL FOOD, DRINK, AND TOBACCO	155,579	162,409	1,326,863	13,539	700,572	25,138	19,032	25,307	32,465
231	Bottles (excluding Returned Empties)	2007	363	7973	...	3500	78	5	4	303
284	Brushware	314	626	7003	18	6395	60	42	245	71
232	Bricks	18	654	1032	11	783	139	...	3122	...
285	Candles	1171	140	2025	...	4059	23	10	854	68
233	Cement	103	16	1027	250	1587	163	105	1920	68
	Chemicals—									
263	Drugs and Medicines	2475	1953	34,050	7	27,788	54	32	10	1165
265	Fertilisers	8090	7276	67,298	560	10,241	57	614	4	1164
268	Sprays	8	566	9599	...	2711	5	4	...	...
	Other Chemicals	8104	4290	57,602	296	42,973	243	470	3283	454
158	Coal	8973	5537	54,188	12	42,135	36	379	810	82
159	Coke	366	72	3772	4	489	3	...	16,221	7
	Drapery, Clothing, and Textiles—									
135–139	Bags and Sacks	38,064	37,528	35,220	23	33,862	1627	9033	...	14,727
114	Boots and Shoes	11,296	14,385	94,319	101	58,707	888	488	542	1623
141	Cordage and Twines (including Rope)	2521	4395	10,978	16	13,379	24	513	402	367
123–131	Piece Goods	6333	4221	91,058	20	144,102	35	59	864	698
	Other	71,326	45,309	428,296	1145	522,834	2401	3838	2569	14,115
235	Earthenware and China	2709	3228	18,771	125	17,194	743	248	693	878
236–7	Glass and Glassware	1496	1303	11,975	24	15,983	96	82	265	386
	Live Animals—									
84	Cattle	...	...	415	...	722	...	...	...	...
85	Horses	650	745	3562	27	8197	...	...	...	...
87A	Sheep	7610	2922	16,002	3084*	10,994	...	173	...	...
	Other	151	310	886	16	661	...	15	...	52
221	Leather	146	69	18,786	...	22,967	26	...	86	30
287	Matches	615	2074	9900	23	7033	22	128	173	140
	Metals, Metal Manufactures, and Machinery—									
194	Galvanised Corrugated Iron	5147	1594	20,208	338	18,800	575	215	1077	303
172–185	Machinery	64,714	22,868	254,286	734	159,075	671	5733	36,843	3374
209	Motor Cars (Complete)	41,808	11,488	94,986	1372	214,524	720	445	...	1285
204	Pipes	5414	2504	14,913	16	8176	66	36	1099	166
202	Nails	675	548	10,777	6	5947	161	22	111	171
196	Tinned Plates	...	...	60,806	...	620	...	...	...	...
203	Wire Netting	107	327	4405	11	3251	7	4	6	202
198	Wire, Other (Iron and Steel)	1610	1904	9476	377	8287	808	445	233	882
	Other (principally Hardware)	44,221	25,958	405,579	1460	296,602	5054	2615	30,588	11,825
	Oils—									
147	Benzine and Other Petroleum Spirits	12,645	1783	114,589	1448	100,761	976	49	150	8386
145	Kerosene	2900	26	9044	453	20,289	9	...	198	545
	Other Oils	7992	1913	40,813	266	45,108	361	441	2730	1555
161–164	Ores	115	...	627,142	...	763	...	...	...	...
240–250	Paper and Stationery	10,794	6414	148,772	247	95,238	310	597	576	1119
218–219	Rubber Goods	2343	2089	139,234	98	93,672	82	50	847	893
290	Soap	991	2912	18,526	51	16,285	136	63	541	159
224–228	Timber	2836	1194	21,375	305	21,274	228	203	733	719
293	Empty Returns	76	1977	11,610	95	4697	60	53	...	202
294	Samples	5514	90	7056	...	63,943	...	39	...	16
	Not Elsewhere Included	48,461	33,787	340,898	2079	599,149	2986	3322	7135	12,790
	TOTAL IMPORTS	588,488	419,767	4,667,095	28,657*	3,476,329	45,071	49,662	140,242	113,455

n Not available. * Including Flinders Island, £2000.

TRADE OF TASMANIAN PORTS, 1927-28.

IMPORTS (Oversea and Interstate).

Card No.	Description.	Unit of Quantity.	Quantity.								
			Burnie.	Devonport.	Hobart.	King Island.	Launceston.	Smithton.	Stanley.	Strahan.	Ulverstone.
	Food, Drink, and Tobacco—										
20	Aerated Waters & Cordials	cases	218	94	2602	21	772	117	3	...	6
	Alcoholic Beverages—										
76-81	Wines and Spirits	gallons	3536	5891	50,806	280	29,895	292	732	2	1259
74-75	Other	„	52,039	71,985	111,826	3756	266,436	2676	6036	...	8771
21	Biscuits	cubic ft.	4135	3328	24,013	241	30,262	299	836	1047	1629
1	Butter	cwt.	1867	365	3026	...	2416	...	...	12	...
3	Cheese	„	56	149	381	2	212	...	1	18	34
23	Confectionery	lbs.	117,682	105,487	814,224	5355	570,319	20,291	17,340	1819	21,723
47	Cornflour	„	3040	11,606	130,068	...	75,906	...	...	500	1660
48	Flour	tons	1076	740	1405	113	75	350	152	204	392
37	Fruit, Fresh	cases	16,195	6002	39,061	357	43,975	191	1568	27	402
33-36	„ Dried	lbs.	51,792	154,654	666,175	28	492,992	3558	3714	9692	14,732
54	Jams and Jellies	„	8820	7560	863,037	420	27,599	3600	2580	16,140	4140
2	Margarine	cases	358	401	8210	...	2962	42	16	...	203
19	Milk	„	1519	857	10,157	22	4481	164	54	333	67
42	Oats	bushels	11,559	8295	1141	2394	2010	405	1554	15	3744
46	Pollard and Bran	cwt.	3758	507	26,003	2436	1519	3854	669	2860	171
50	Rice	„	202	302	2280	6	1651	35	26	9	110
65	Sugar	tons	609	920	9417	28	2854	139	89	75	218
272	Salt	„	87	167	1123	15	701	24	12	11	23
68	Tea	lbs.	54,880	140,800	723,795	3420	538,056	5990	11,050	20,000	23,100
82-3	Tobacco (including Cigars and Cigarettes)	cubic ft.	2086	4748	23,041	34	17,423	297	72	444	459
71	Vinegar	gallons	2170	6545	33,971	...	23,138	70	140	630	665
43	Wheat	bushels	...	225	504,655	825	273,379	240	...	60	12
73	Groceries Unspecified	cwt,meas	13,998	5149	15,643	2364	15,705	3508	2046	5063	2087
231	Bottles (excluding Returned Empties)	cubic ft.	6017	1265	26,590	...	9654	200	4	18	904
284	Brushware	„	698	1352	8265	20	10,140	120	123	228	189
232	Bricks	tons	4	42	160	8	322	84	...	236	...
285	Candles	cases	428	60	966	...	1852	8	4	336	25
233	Cement	tons	16	2	232	43	480	24	16	380	12
	Chemicals—										
263	Drugs and Medicines	cubic ft.	1098	1043	15,125	1	11,230	44	16	3	369
265	Fertilisers	tons	1104	931	18,989	112	1320	8	63	...	192
268	Sprays	cwt.	5	650	9223	...	2109	4	1	...	...
158	Coal	tons	5853	4833	40,892	5	29,172	17	283	345	48
159	Coke	„	159	27	3169	1	141	2	...	5416	3
	Drapery,Clothing,&Textiles—										
135-139	Bags and Sacks	bales	2972	2822	3805	2	2775	189	804	...	1111
114	Boots and Shoes	cubic ft.	3961	4739	33,341	34	21,238	293	159	174	582
141	Cordage and Twines (including Rope)	cwt.	803	1309	3278	2	4651	11	149	127	110
123-131	Piece Goods	cubic ft.	2548	1523	23,381	9	36,895	16	19	281	282
	Other	„	24,838	15,520	141,198	478	171,571	939	1227	1185	5370
235	Earthenware and China	„	3568	4448	34,786	177	24,566	913	255	931	1183
236-7	Glass and Glassware	„	1995	2010	17,326	38	20,568	88	96	307	589
	Live Animals—										
84	Cattle	number	...	...	34	...	51	...	...	...	...
85	Horses	„	8	30	170	3	143	...	...	...	...
87A	Sheep	„	8572	2767	11,436	*2955	7684	...	346	...	...
221	Leather	cwt.	25	10	1752	...	3489	9	...	21	5
287	Matches	cases	61	247	1569	4	910	3	10	31	19
	Metals, Metal Manufactures, and Machinery										
194	Galvanised Corrugated Iron	tons	190	66	992	12	776	20	7	43	11
172-185	Machinery	cwt. (meas.)	18,807	7125	65,370	271	41,355	196	1450	8917	856
209	Motor Cars (Complete)	number	154	44	345	7	755	4	2	...	4
204	Pipes	cwt.	3992	3713	14,087	11	5970	46	33	675	110
202	Nails	„	596	470	8992	5	4472	146	17	102	147
196	Tinned Plates	„	...	...	52,720	...	503	...	...	...	...
203	Wire Netting	rolls	86	192	3775	6	2669	4	2	11	169
198	Wire, Other (Iron and Steel)	cwt.	1445	1861	8566	368	7959	700	375	47	751
	Oils—										
147	Benzine and Other Petroleum Spirits	gallons	248,011	17,800	2,599,719	18,877	1,566,774	9620	518	1466	78,656
145	Kerosene	„	74,687	480	228,258	5676	428,644	96	...	2850	6451
161 164	Ores	tons	10	...	114,829	...	21	...	...	...	...
290	Soap	cases	628	1981	12,750	32	13,196	72	46	417	119
224-228	Timber	super. ft.	147,815	55,964	1,900,122	13,666	1,617,970	10,156	16,120	33,138	31,574
293	Empty Returns	cwt. (meas.)	287	5173	27,222	205	13,975	135	191	...	1134
294	Samples	cubic ft.	1645	24	2237	...	14,774	...	26	...	2

*Including Flinders Island—1967.

TRADE OF TASMANIAN PORTS, 1927-28.

EXPORTS, Oversea and Interstate.

Card No.	Description.	Value.								
		Burnie.	Devonport.	Hobart.	King Island.*	Launceston.	Smithton.	Stanley.	Strahan.	Ulverstone.
	Food and Drink—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
55	Ale and Beer	...	...	16,616	...	23	...	3	...	...
6	Bacon and Hams	4588	516	142	...	6168	...	...	...	...
40	Barley, Pearl	...	...	1868	...	...	...	...	...	...
1	Butter	62,204	476	2237	32,105	50,928	494	9070	...	1843
17	Chaff	8615	70,253	739	...	43,783	...	359	...	7499
2	Cheese	...	17	850	6424	3245	636	5349	...	11
56	Cider	...	...	4338	...	6	...	...	...	...
15	Cocoa	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*
14	Confectionery									
4, 4A, 4B	Fish	4445	7182	18,044	...	10,341	...	574	...	14
42	Flour	...	...	24,617	...	22,284	...	...	...	...
22–29	Fruit, Fresh	1846	9927	921,962	...	116,315	...	...	...	278
19–21	„ Dried	...	48	48,016	...	1426	...	...	...	...
31	„ Preserved	...	...	144,358	...	46	...	...	...	...
32	„ Pulped	...	...	163,718	...	2852	...	...	...	...
46	Hops	...	...	232,604	...	195	...	...	...	...
47	Jams and Jellies	...	2	322,473	...	10	...	...	...	...
43	Oatmeal, &c	...	...	17,539	...	2654	...	...	...	...
35	Oats	10,770	60,781	10,420	...	50,204	21	1210	...	7925
37–38	Peas, Unprepared	4660	86,684	2793	5	38,434	...	2597	...	3818
44	„ Split	...	...	5516	...	203	...	...	...	...
50	Potatoes	285,477	159,351	3096	21	27,431	...	58,402	...	88,628
52	Turnips	4231	6068	460	2	853	19	26,408	...	148
	Other	1160	43,309	302,418	9	53,501	25	6239	...	2666
	TOTAL FOOD AND DRINK	387,996	444,614	2,244,824	38,566	430,902	1195	110,211	...	112,830
155	Carbide	...	...	66,928	...	...	...	...	...	...
145	Cement	...	63,268	70,768	...	...	...	...	...	...
69	Furred Skins	3785	584	122,968	1895	255,677	110	99	...	100
68	Hides	4457	1391	14,176	520	15,136	453	1350	...	214
122	Leather	...	6	25,177	...	543	...	...	...	...
105	Limestone	...	36,553	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Live Animals—									
59	Cattle	6556	7876	200	51,104	9429	...	13,302	...	...
60	Horses	485	80	380	30	9010	...	20	...	...
63	Sheep	3334	2219	...	693	5427	...	...	...	...
	Other	558	247	283	5147	556	3	30	...	5
	Metals and Ores—									
111	Cadmium	...	...	45,740	...	...	...	...	...	...
110	Copper, Blister	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	293,535	...
112	Osmiridium	...	...	21,675	...	...	...	...	...	...
99	Silver-lead Ore	77,468	108	12,105	...	24	...	...	...	...
114	Tin	...	...	...	...	214,264	...	...	...	...
115	Zinc	...	...	1,580,633	...	...	...	...	...	...
102	Zinc Ore	368	...	14,726	...	...	...	...	...	...
94, 96-8, 100-1, 103, 113, 116	Other	2598	25	177,337	...	51,377	6	...	...	...
117	Motor-cars and Lorries	24,725	3030	27,171	260	109,059	...	...	...	50
70	Sheepskins	4298	936	27,327	621	87,753	107	122	...	...
80	Straw	1137	8078	3142	...	1382	...	218	...	482
88	Tallow	1570	400	3296	81	5922	25	15	...	265
75	Tanning Bark	...	...	21,227	...	12,598	...	...	...	...
	Timber—									
125-28	Dressed	2316	1993	9641	...	18,329	232	231	...	...
129–133A	Log	1467	...	383	...	437	302	694	...	313
134	Palings	1988	281	18,012	...	1655	95	40	...	3658
136–140	Sawn	28,191	6122	123,177	...	53,519	46,629	30,542	..	1003
135	Staves	423	160	770	...	42	2025	1235	...	759
73	Wool	437	642	543,693	1284	544,301	235	2414	...	...
83	Woollen Manufactures	10	16	30,341	...	502,763	...	...	...	...
165	Samples	15,859	2278	14,235	...	60,818	...	...	...	4
166	Empty Returns	10,025	5023	40,109	479	46,337	1638	782	...	5277
	Not Elsewhere Included	13,131	5309	172,369	1328	165,433	531	2044	...	3549
	TOTAL EXPORTS	593,182	591,242	5,432,813	102,008	2,602,693	53,586	163,349	293,535	128,509

* The following items from Flinders Island are included with King Island:—Cattle, £5000; Horses, £30; Pigs, £40; Total, £5070

a Included with "Other Food and Drink."

TRADE OF TASMANIAN PORTS, 1927-28.

EXPORTS (Oversea and Interstate).

Card No.	Description.	Unit.	Quantity.								
			Burnie.	Devonport.	Hobart.	King* Island.	Launceston.	Smithton.	Stanley.	Strahan.	Ulverstone.
	Food and Drink—										
55	Ale and Beer	gallons	...	...	55,470	...	72	...	8	...	...
6	Bacon and Hams	cwt.	732	89	23	...	750	...	...	...	...
40	Barley, Pearl	tons	...	...	110	...	...	...	...	...	...
1	Butter	cwt.	8008	61	273	3755	6106	61	1067	...	268
17	Chaff	tons	1502	12,543	125	...	7738	...	68	...	1410
2	Cheese	cwt.	...	4	188	1440	796	153	1255	...	3
56	Cider	gallons	...	...	14,280	...	16	...	...	...	...
15	Cocoa	lbs.	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*
14	Confectionery	,,									
4, 4A, 4B	Fish	cwt.	2119	3585	3023	...	5159	...	287	...	7
		cases	69	...	4448	...	299	...	...	...	...
42	Flour	tons	...	...	1966	...	1593	...	...	...	...
22-29	Fruit, Fresh	bushels	6088	51,662	3,504,476	...	511,710	...	...	...	1054
19-21	,, Dried	lbs.	...	1072	1,348,690	...	42,510	...	...	...	...
31	,, Preserved	,,	...	...	6,306,193	...	1736	...	...	...	...
32	,, Pulped	,,	...	...	9,422,912	...	271,962	...	...	...	...
46	Hops	bales	...	...	11,677	...	17	...	...	...	...
47	Jams and Jellies	lbs.	...	65	11,494,612	...	325	...	...	...	...
43	Oatmeal, &c.	tons	...	...	749	...	115	...	...	...	...
35	Oats	bushels	55,085	308,009	52,390	...	278,814	105	6699	...	41,490
37-38	Peas, Unprepared	,,	11,138	205,895	6569	15	99,935	...	6312	...	9645
44	,, Split	tons	...	...	262	...	9	...	...	...	...
50	Potatoes	,,	41,728	23,786	322	3	2985	...	8967	...	12,456
52	Turnips	,,	1091	1678	115	1	216	5	7253	...	43
155	Carbide	,,	...	...	3320	...	...	...	...	...	...
145	Cement	,,	...	15,816	17,692	...	...	...	...	...	...
69	Furred Skins	bales	61	10	1098	24	1705	2	3	..	2
68	Hides	cwt.	1374	482	4122	176	4020	163	418	...	105
122	Leather	,,	...	2	3274	...	159	...	...	...	...
105	Limestone	tons	...	104,437	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Live Animals—										
59	Cattle	number	663	768	3	4363	1332	...	1238	...	...
60	Horses	,,	19	3	5	1	57	...	1	...	...
63	Sheep	,,	603	1448	...	480	874	...	...	...	...
	Metals and Ores—										
111	Cadmium	tons	...	...	231	...	...	...	...	...	...
110	Copper, Blister	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5515	...
112	Osmiridium	ozs.	...	...	971	...	...	...	...	...	...
99	Silver-lead Ore	tons	536	6	1255	...	3	...	...	...	...
114	Tin	,,	...	...	...	...	823	...	...	...	...
115	Zinc	,,	...	...	55,581	...	...	...	...	...	...
102	Zinc Ore	,,	1700	...	1234	...	...	...	...	...	...
94, 96-8, 100-1, 103, 113, 116	Other	,,	1050	1	62,299	...	581	1	...	...	...
117	Motor-cars and Lorries	number	96	12	97	1	380	...	...	...	1
70	Sheepskins	bales	352	72	1471	47	4655	9	11	...	...
80	Straw	tons	482	3425	1385	...	556	...	74	...	201
88	Tallow	cwt.	1277	304	2702	64	4604	20	12	...	212
75	Tanning Bark	,,	...	...	38,623	...	23,043	...	...	...	...
	Timber—										
125-28	Dressed	super. ft.	124,244	131,301	401,678	...	781,915	16,207	5786	...	...
129-133A	Log	,,	147,402	...	16,670	...	59,589	26,422	29,983	...	26,818
134	Palings	number	188,600	25,300	1,627,600	...	149,000	8800	4300	...	338,800
136-140	Sawn	super. ft.	1,867,800	513,700	10,543,500	...	415,700	3,778,700	1,958,100	...	71,400
135	Staves	number	22,853	7443	49,273	...	1000	93,665	49,128	...	32,541
73	Wool	bales	28	36	20,054	78	19,981	12	111	...	...
83	Woollen Manufactures	cubic ft.	1	8	18,377	...	186,824	...	...	...	...
165	Samples	,,	4977	678	3618	...	16,964	...	...	...	2
166	Empty Returns	cwt. (meas.)	50,677	26,610	199,359	2435	236,289	8174	3962	...	27,376

* The following Items from Flinders Island are included with King Island:—Cattle, 477; Horses, 1; Pigs, 10.

a Not for publication.

SHIPPING—OVERSEA AND INTERSTATE

RETURN of Inward and Outward Shipping, State of Tasmania, for Year ended 30th June, 1928.

Entered from or Cleared to—	Inward.		Outward.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.				
New South Wales—Direct	200	467,149	211	290,100
New South Wales—Viâ States	4	10,103	2	8245
Victoria—Direct	727	524,416	637	383,905
Victoria—Viâ States	1	3604	1	4104
Queensland—Direct	4	12,692	15	12,018
Queensland—Viâ States	27	107,640	42	62,377
South Australia—Direct	85	104,851	71	54,352
South Australia—Viâ States	2	7063	5	17,313
Western Australia—Direct	2	4742	...	...
Western Australia—Viâ States	...	...	7	13,143
Total Commonwealth of Australia—Direct	1018	1,113,850	934	740,375
Total Commonwealth of Australia—Viâ States	34	128,410	57	105,182
Total Commonwealth of Australia—Total	1052	1,242,260	991	845,557
Great Britain—Direct	...	...	5	25,299
Great Britain—Viâ States	18	91,774	67	459,054
BRITISH POSSESSIONS.				
Canada—Viâ States	1	3642	2	8055
Fiji—Direct	...	...	1	3496
Hong Kong—Viâ States	...	...	1	3529
Nauru and Ocean Islands—Direct	2	5254	1	3751
Nauru and Ocean Islands—Viâ States	2	6385	...	...
New Zealand—Direct	6	6934	7	14,015
New Zealand—Viâ States	...	...	3	8177
South Africa—Direct	1	3073	...	...
South Africa—Viâ States	...	...	1	3154
Other—Direct	6	6055	6	6055
Total British (including Great Britain)—Direct	15	21,316	20	52,616
Total British (including Great Britain)—Viâ States	21	101,801	74	481,969
Total British (including Great Britain)—Total	36	123,117	94	534,585
FOREIGN.				
Belgium—Viâ States	...	...	1	4560
East Indies-Netherlands—Direct	...	...	2	6147
East Indies-Netherlands—Viâ States	1	2759	...	...
Germany—Direct	1	3883	...	...
Germany—Viâ States	1	4453	7	26,569
Holland—Viâ States	1	3645	1	3168
Japan—Viâ States	1	2884	13	44,682
Norway—Direct	2	5759	1	3492
Norway—Viâ States	...	...	2	9267
Sweden—Viâ States	2	6950	1	3591
U.S.A. East Coast—Direct	7	25,863	...	...
U.S.A. East Coast—Viâ States	6	20,648	2	7067
U.S.A. West Coast—Direct	2	8786	...	...
U.S.A. West Coast—Viâ States	4	12,133	...	...
Other—Direct	1	2988	...	...
Other—Viâ States	1	3388	...	...
Total Foreign—Direct	13	47,279	3	9639
Total Foreign—Viâ States	17	56,860	27	98,904
Total Foreign—Total	30	104,139	30	108,543
GRAND TOTAL ALL COUNTRIES—Steam	1112	1,468,364	1108	1,487,453
GRAND TOTAL ALL COUNTRIES—Sailing	6	1152	7	1232
GRAND TOTAL ALL COUNTRIES—Total	1118	1,469,516	1115	1,488,685

SUMMARY OF TOTAL SHIPPING (INWARDS AND OUTWARDS), OVERSEA AND INTERSTATE.

Total, From and To.	Description.	1927-28.		1926-27.		1925-26.		1913-14.		1909.	
		No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
Commonwealth of Australia	Steam	2030	2,085,433	1940	1,956,592	1945	1,939,012	1457	1,653,315	1381	1,470,215
	Sailing	13	2384	26	4432	35	3629	307	52,401	307	51,654
	TOTAL	2043	2,087,817	1966	2,001,024	1980	1,942,641	1764	1,705,716	1688	1,521,869
Other British Possessions (including United Kingdom)	Steam	130	657,702	113	550,335	99	511,555	208	901,820	189	714,330
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	10,445	36	35,545
	TOTAL	130	657,702	113	550,335	99	511,555	220	912,265	225	749,875
Foreign Countries	Steam	60	212,682	50	177,260	49	175,801	12	40,066	3	10,064
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7985	75	144,408
	TOTAL	60	212,682	50	177,260	49	175,801	19	48,051	78	154,472
GRAND TOTAL	Steam	2220	2,955,817	2103	2,724,187	2093	2,626,368	1677	2,595,291	1574	2,197,758
	Sailing	13	2384	26	4432	35	3629	326	70,831	417	228,458
	TOTAL	2233	2,958,201	2129	2,728,619	2128	2,629,997	2003	2,666,122	1991	2,426,216

n Not available.

SHIPPING—OVERSEA AND INTERSTATE—INWARDS.†

PORT Return of Inward Shipping, State of Tasmania, for Year ended 30th June, 1928.

Port.	Description.	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.	
		No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Hobart	Steam	327	815,371	3	7804	330	823,175
	Sailing	6	1152	...	...	6	1152
	TOTAL	333	816,523	3	7804	336	824,327
Launceston	Steam	298	295,102	5	4409	303	299,511
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL	298	295,102	5	4409	303	299,511
Burnie	Steam	120	116,367	30	51,239	150	167,606
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL	120	116,367	30	51,239	150	167,606
Currie	Steam	81	22,080	...	...	81	22,080
Devonport	Steam	48	48,822	28	47,189	76	96,011
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL	48	48,822	28	47,189	76	96,011
Smithton	Steam	57	4934	22	1725	79	6659
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL	57	4934	22	1725	79	6659
Stanley	Steam	27	17,050	14	19,122	41	36,172
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL	27	17,050	14	19,122	41	36,172
Strahan	Steam	30	14,829	...	...	30	14,829
Ulverstone	Steam	4	1133	...	...	4	1133
Wynyard	Steam	18	1188	...	...	18	1188
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL	18	1188	...	...	18	1188
TOTAL SHIPPING INWARDS	Steam	1010	1,336,876	102	131,488	1112	1,468,364
	Sailing	6	1152	...	...	6	1152
	GRAND TOTAL	1016	1,338,028	102	131,488	1118	1,469,516

† See note, page 37.

SHIPPING—OVERSEA AND INTERSTATE—OUTWARDS.†

PORT Return of Outward Shipping, State of Tasmania, for Year ended 30th June, 1928.

Port.	Description.	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.	
		No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Hobart	Steam	287	739,109	13	15,765	300	754,874
	Sailing	7	1232	...	...	7	1232
	TOTAL	294	740,341	13	15,765	307	756,106
Launceston	Steam	277	357,831	1	200	278	358,031
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL	277	357,831	1	200	278	358,031
Burnie	Steam	157	157,394	...	...	157	157,394
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL	157	157,394	...	...	157	157,394
Currie	Steam	79	21,120	...	...	79	21,120
Devonport	Steam	122	155,385	...	...	122	155,385
Smithton	Steam	86	7243	1	67	87	7310
Stanley	Steam	47	23,577	...	...	47	23,577
Strahan	Steam	15	7200	...	...	15	7200
Ulverstone	Steam	2	1172	...	...	2	1172
Wynyard	Steam	21	1390	...	...	21	1390
TOTAL SHIPPING OUTWARDS	Steam	1093	1,471,421	15	16,032	1108	1,487,453
	Sailing	7	1232	...	...	7	1232
	GRAND TOTAL	1100	1,472,653	15	16,032	1115	1,488,685

† See note page 37.

SHIPPING—OVERSEA AND INTERSTATE.

SUMMARY of Total Shipping (Arrivals and Departures) at various Tasmanian Ports.†

Port.	Description.	1927-28.		1926-27.		1925-26.		1913-14.		1909.	
		No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
Hobart	Steam	630	1,578,049	613	1,400,213	565	1,346,951	484	1,583,320	440	1,304,207
	Sailing	13	2384	26	4432	34	3490	158	49,753	298	212,437
	TOTAL	643	1,580,433	639	1,404,645	599	1,350,441	642	1,633,073	738	1,516,644
Launceston	Steam	581	657,542	506	578,465	543	566,728	542	508,899	490	439,808
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	1	139	48	11,430	19	6729
	TOTAL	581	657,542	506	578,465	544	566,867	590	520,329	509	446,537
Burnie	Steam	307	325,000	301	302,737	273	297,462	230	226,166	219	204,887
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	2209	35	2547
	TOTAL	307	325,000	301	302,737	273	297,462	261	228,375	254	207,434
Currie Harbour	Steam	160	43,200	135	46,753	147	40,880	30	4830	28	2424
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	3	138
	TOTAL	160	43,200	135	46,753	147	40,880	30	4830	31	2562
Devonport	Steam	198	251,396	214	296,610	212	283,723	92	92,860	97	97,094
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	429	7	2473
	TOTAL	198	251,396	214	296,610	212	283,723	95	93,289	104	99,567
Smithton	Steam	166	13,969	159	12,237	194	15,085	...	...	...	...
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL	166	13,969	159	12,237	194	15,085	...	...	...	...
Stanley	Steam	88	59,749	97	60,914	67	48,198	144	77,003	141	56,221
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	5010	43	3266
	TOTAL	88	59,749	97	60,914	67	48,198	211	82,013	184	59,487
Strahan	Steam	45	22,029	38	20,187	40	16,966	155	102,213	159	93,117
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL	45	22,029	38	20,187	40	16,966	155	102,213	159	93,117
Ulverstone	Steam	6	2305	6	3745	12	8039	...	...	...	...
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	1770	10	751
	TOTAL	6	2305	6	3745	12	8039	14	1770	10	751
Wynyard	Steam	39	2578	34	2326	40	2338	...	...	...	...
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	*5	*230	*2	*117
	TOTAL	39	2578	34	2326	40	2338	*5	*230	*2	*117
GRAND TOTAL	Steam	2220	2,955,817	2103	2,724,187	2093	2,626,368	1677	2,595,291	1574	2,197,758
	Sailing	13	2384	26	4432	35	3629	326	70,831	417	228,458
	TOTAL	2233	2,958,201	2129	2,728,619	2128	2,629,997	2003	2,666,122	1991	2,426,216

*Penguin.

† NOTE.—The figures given for each port in the last three tables above do *not* take into account coastal movements of shipping. Ships are recorded as arrivals at the *first* Tasmanian port of call only, and as departures only at the last port of call in Tasmania. A vessel coming direct to Stanley from Melbourne, calling at Burnie, Ulverstone, Devonport, and Launceston, and leaving the latter port for Sydney, would be recorded only as an arrival at Stanley and a departure from Launceston. For total shipping (including coastwise) at each port see page 40.

NATIONALITY OF SHIPPING.

INWARD Shipping, State of Tasmania, for Year ended 30th June, 1928.

Nationality.	Description.	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.	
		No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
British.							
Australian	Steam	820	653,123	95	107,445	915	760,568
	Sailing	6	1152	...	...	6	1152
	TOTAL	826	654,275	95	107,445	921	761,720
United Kingdom	Steam	80	477,128	1	5110	81	482,238
Canadian	Steam	1	4413	...	...	1	4413
Hong Kong	Steam	...	...	...	..	...	...
New Zealand	Steam	73	93,742	1	1726	74	95,468
South Africa	Steam	1	2583	...	...	1	2583
Total British	Steam	975	1,230,989	97	114,281	1072	1,345,270
	Sailing	6	1152	...	...	6	1152
	TOTAL	981	1,232,141	97	114,281	1078	1,346,422
Foreign.							
Danish	Steam	1	5342	...	...	1	5342
French	Steam	1	2759	...	...	1	2759
German	Steam	4	15,053	...	...	4	15,053
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...
Italian	Steam	1	3883	...	...	1	3883
Japanese	Steam	8	25,893	2	6078	10	31,971
Norwegian	Steam	13	27,321	3	11,129	16	38,450
Swedish	Steam	2	6179	...	...	2	6179
United States	Steam	5	19,457	...	...	5	19,457
Total Foreign	Steam	35	105,887	5	17,207	40	123,094
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL	35	105,887	5	17,207	40	123,094
TOTAL ALL NATIONALITIES	Steam	1010	1,336,876	102	131,488	1112	1,468,364
	Sailing	6	1152	...	...	6	1152
	GRAND TOTAL	1016	1,338,028	102	131,488	1118	1,469,516

NATIONALITY OF SHIPPING.

OUTWARD Shipping, State of Tasmania, for Year ended 30th June, 1928.

Nationality.	Description.	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.	
		No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
British.							
Australian	Steam	900	759,434	6	3137	906	762,571
	Sailing	7	1232	...	...	7	1232
	TOTAL	907	760,666	6	3137	913	763,803
Canadian	Steam	1	4413	...	...	1	4413
United Kingdom	Steam	84	502,080	1	3388	85	505,468
Hong Kong	Steam	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Zealand	Steam	74	84,239	2	3452	76	87,691
South Africa	Steam	1	3751	...	...	1	3751
Total British	Steam	1060	1,353,917	9	9977	1069	1,363,894
	Sailing	7	1232	...	...	7	1232
	TOTAL	1067	1,355,149	9	9977	1076	1,365,126
Foreign.							
Danish	Steam	1	5342	...	...	1	5342
French	Steam	1	2759	...	...	1	2759
German	Steam	5	18,154	...	...	5	18,154
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...
Italian	Steam	1	3883	...	...	1	3883
Japanese	Steam	10	31,971	...	...	10	31,971
Norwegian	Steam	9	33,363	6	6055	15	39,418
Swedish	Steam	2	6179	...	...	2	6179
United States	Steam	4	15,853	...	...	4	15,853
Total Foreign	Steam	33	117,504	6	6055	39	123,559
	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL	33	117,504	6	6055	39	123,559
TOTAL ALL NATIONALITIES	Steam	1093	1,471,421	15	16,032	1108	1,487,453
	Sailing	7	1232	...	...	7	1232
	TOTAL	1100	1,472,653	15	16,032	1115	1,488,685

SHIPPING—OVERSEA AND INTERSTATE

DECENNIAL RETURN.

Year.	Entered.			Cleared.			On Registers on 30th June (a).	
	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.
								Net.
1913	1003	1,338,118	51,183	1000	1,328,004	50,718	217	12,704
1914†	..	..	..	536	821,900	31,509	213	17,984
1914–15	1004	1,178,997	46,960	1005	1,111,458	46,925	217	11,544
1915–16	951	1,057,393	43,267	947	1,048,514	42,858	215	16,435
1916–17	792	754,042	32,658	797	766,034	32,835	210	17,079
1917–18	818	604,730	27,860	819	600,390	27,585	192	16,045
1918–19	751	513,730	24,684	752	504,706	24,472	193	23,340
1919–20	841	632,058	28,268	836	628,090	28,179	189	13,352‡
1920–21	1059	813,399	35,205	1085	811,744	35,383	181	15,975
1921–22	1106	1,073,776	42,944	1098	1,068,561	43,112	190	19,517
1922–23	1216	1,193,427	*	1226	1,200,906	*	187	19,968
1923–24	1250	1,383,987	*	1238	1,373,199	*	187	17,324
1924–25	1144	1,288,636	*	1149	1,273,857	*	182	14,532
1925–26	1068	1,313,186	*	1060	1,316,811	*	183	13,766
1926–27	1072	1,367,833	*	1057	1,360,786	*	178	13,115
1927–28	1118	1,469,516	*	1115	1,488,685	*	181	8724

* Not available. † For half-year ending 30th June, 1914. ‡ Gross tonnage.

(a) Except for 1913, which is as at 31st December.

RETURN showing the Number and Net Tonnage of Steam, Sailing, and other Vessels Registered on the 30th June, 1928, at the Ports of Hobart and Launceston.

	Steam.		Motor (including Auxiliary).		Sailing.		Dredges and Hulks, &c., not self propelled.		Total.	
	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.
Hobart	46	3496	46	1139	50	2267	.		142	6902
Launceston	13	756	7	196	17	307	2	563	39	1822
Total	59	4252	53	1335	67	2574	2	563	181	8724

NUMBER and Tonnage of Vessels Built and Registered in the State of Tasmania during the Year 1913 and Years ending 30th June, 1915 to 1928.

Year.	Steam or Oil (including Auxiliary.)			Sailing.			Total.		
	No.	Tonnage.		No.	Tonnage.		No.	Tonnage.	
		Gross.	Net.		Gross.	Net.		Gross.	Net.
1913*	2	49	48	6	734	383	8	783	431
1914†	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1915	1	18	11	1	5	5	2	23	16
1916	2	30	24	..	..	..	2	30	24
1917	1	19	13	..	..	..	1	19	13
1918	1	135	76	..	..	..	1	135	76
1919	..	..	..	1	94	83	1	94	83
1920	2	..	175	1	..	352	3	..	527
1921	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1922	1	221	101	1	173	143	2	394	244
1923	1	30	27	1	6	6	2	36	33
1924	1	100	80	..	..	..	1	100	80
1925	2	20	16	1	13	13	3	33	29
1926	2	31	25	..	..	..	2	31	25
1927	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1928	2	48	30	..	..	..	2	48	30

* Year ended 31st December, 1913. † Half-year ended 30th June, 1914.

SHIPPING - OVERSEA, INTERSTATE, AND COASTWISE.

NUMBER and Net Tonnage of all Vessels entering Tasmanian Ports.

Port.	1927-28.		1926-27.		1925-26.		1913.		1909.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
Hobart	596	885,639	590	808,534	534	762,845	656	850,424	746	788,065
Launceston	440	426,944	412	369,082	462	382,448	542	302,362	580	267,490
Burnie	444	383,060	436	371,516	446	361,111	560	331,317	680	318,653
Currie	156	40,664	140	38,692	167	45,041	*n*	*n*	*n*	*n*
Devonport	324	306,963	309	313,067	317	306,622	336	225,001	472	235,635
Smithton	87	7878	85	6231	99	7712	*n*	*n*	*n*	*n*
Stanley	217	165,146	233	109,510	208	156,572	237	75,693	203	59,734
Strahan	63	25,937	56	28,228	54	22,648	125	72,626	208	91,337
Ulverstone	98	45,885	74	33,400	89	38,575	112	23,493	65	9988
Wynyard	23	1690	18	1415	21	1212	*n*	*n*	*n*	*n*
	2448	2,289,806	2353	2,079,675	2397	2,084,786	*n*	*n*	*n*	*n*

OVERSEA and Interstate Cargo Discharged and Shipped—Tasmanian Ports—Twelve Months ending 30th June, 1926, 1927, and 1928.

Port.	Discharged 1927-28.		Shipped 1927-28.		Total Discharged and Shipped.			Proportion of Total Trade per 1,000.	
	Interstate.	Overseas.	Interstate.	Overseas.	1927-28.	1926-27.	1925-26.	1927-28.	1926-27.
	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons	tons.	tons	tons.	tons.
Burnie	21,779	1225	64,053	6155	93,212	83,817	73,805	73	68
Devonport	17,599	115	184,439	5655	207,808	234,734	191,341	163	190
Hobart	259,530	44,335	234,003	135,475	673,343	662,219	608,146	527	537
King Island	1665	...	3820	...	5485	2358	4232	4	2
Launceston	102,653	19,228	68,558	20,623	211,062	176,768	168,358	165	143
Smithton	1868	...	9007	...	10,875	10,882	13,163	8	9
Stanley	1918	...	21,271	...	23,189	22,621	23,407	18	18
Strahan	16,841	...	10,898	...	27,739	22,103	29,816	22	18
Ulverstone	4094	...	18,944	...	23,038	15,548	14,936	18	13
Wynyard	748	...	1705	...	2453	1955	2338	2	2
Tasmania	428,695	64,903	616,698	167,908	1,278,204	1,233,005	1,129,542	1000	1000

n Not available.

RETURN showing Trade of King Island in Cattle, Sheep, Horses, Pigs.

Imports.					Exports.				
Year.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Horses.	Pigs.	Year.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Horses.	Pigs.
1910-1919 (average)	2962	2306	45	35	1910-19 (average)	3435	1623	55	100
1920	2405	1147	10	...	1920	5963	415	40	351
1921	1499	614	4	33	1921	2977	...	67	324
1922	3530	2176	22	335	1922	3088	...	20	512
1923	916	338	13	7	1923	2360	1181	15	645
1924	1118	162	21	48	1924	3272	137	12	1120
1925	1370	334	29	276	1925	2729	81	5	1088
1926	1241	3969	8	66	1926	2527	364	10	1303
1927	3	432	4	40	1927	1872	131	4	1475
1928	114	778	11	65	1928	4229	721	1	1549

NOTE.—The above table includes Imports from and Exports to other parts of Tasmania as well as Victoria.

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TASMANIAN STOCK AND CROPS.

REPORT FOR 1927-28.

CROPS IN 1927-28.

The area under crop was 297,000 acres, an increase of 8000 acres on the previous season, and just equal to the high level reached in the three seasons 1920-1923.

Crops were very good. The yield of hay was about the average, but every other important crop gave considerably more than the average of the last ten years or even of the previous decade. The yield per acre of potatoes, though high, was less than in the previous season, but for every other crop the yield was higher than for a considerable number of years. It is necessary to go back to 1912-13, and, for some crops, still further, to find such high figures. This applies not only to the field crops, but to apples and hops as well.

Unfortunately, the high yield of crops was offset by almost uniformly poor prices. The two principal crops of apples and potatoes suffered particularly in this respect. Prices were not quite low enough to amount to a disaster, but the effect was that the farmer and the orchardist had to work particularly hard to harvest and market the crops, but received less than an average net return.

WHEAT.

The acreage under wheat increased again from 23,000 to 29,000 acres, and was greater than in any year since 1915-16, when a special war effort to increase crops was made. The yield of over 26 bushels per acre was the highest for 30 years. Total production was 770,000 bushels, which was half as much again as last year, and considerably more than in any year since 1915-16. The increased sowing of wheat was general in all districts.

ENGLISH BARLEY.

The area declined again to 4500 acres, but the high yield, 28 bushels per acre, brought production to 128,000 bushels, or little less than last year.

OATS AND HAY.

White oats, at 21,000 acres, and Algerian, at 22,000 acres, were both nearly 3000 acres down on the previous year. Hay, at 86,000 acres, showed a decrease of 12,000 acres. With a yield of a little under 30 cwt. per acre, hay production was 125,000 tons, or a little under average. Oats, however, of all kinds returned 32 bushels per acre, compared with an average of 26 bushels, so that production of both white oats and Algerian was a little larger than last year and well over average. The lower acreage for oats, whether for grain or hay, was more than made up by the large increases in potatoes, peas, and wheat.

PEAS.

Peas had a good year for both acreage and yield. There were 9000 acres under blue peas, an increase of one-fifth, and 14,500 under grey and other, an increase of nearly one-third. Yields in both cases were over 22 bushels per acre, compared with an average of 17 bushels. So high a yield has not been recorded since 1912-13.

POTATOES.

The area under potatoes, 44,000 acres, was 10,000 acres more than last year, and by far the greatest yet recorded. The yield of 3·1 tons per acre was, except for 1926-27, the highest since 1909-10. Production was, therefore, 139,000 tons, or about two-thirds greater than the average of the last 20 years. Not since 1908 has the total potato crop been so large, but before that date there were several considerably greater crops.

HOPS.

The area under hops, 1270 acres, shows some further reduction, with the object of adjusting supply to demand. It is now about 220 acres less than the area from 1922 to 1925. The yield of 1943 lb. per acre was a record, and so much above previous yields that even with reduced acreage the total production of 2,470,000 lb. exceeded that of any previous year.

CROPS AND FORECAST.

The forecast issued in December and January last were well borne out by actual results. There was no setback to a season which promised well, and the high yields forecasted were more than justified. The acreage of each crop estimated in January turned out very nearly correct. Wheat acreage, however, turned out 4 per cent. over the estimate, and of the area sown with Algerian oats rather more was cut for hay and rather less for grain than was estimated in January.

The yields of hay and peas, blue and grey, turned out exactly as estimated, while those of wheat, barley, oats, and potatoes were all above the high figures given in the forecast.

The case of potatoes is particularly of interest. The first estimate of the crop published in December was of 138,000 tons, or 70 per cent. over the average, and attention was particularly directed to the difficulty of marketing such a crop at a profitable price. This estimate was severely criticised, particularly in the North-West, as being unduly optimistic and tending to depress the market without justification. A second estimate in January gave a slightly lower figure, but the actual crop returned was slightly above the original figure, and nearly 139,000 tons.

APPLES.

The area under apple trees in bearing in 1927-28 was 25,300 acres, which was 300 acres more than in 1926-27, but less than in any other year since 1918-19. The area under trees not yet in bearing also shows a slight increase over the previous year. This increased acreage under apple trees, though it is not large, points to a sustained confidence in the industry.

The crop of 4,675,000 bushels of marketable apples is by far the largest yet recorded, being 63 per cent. greater than the preceding decennial average, and 541,000 bushels greater than in 1925-26, which produced the largest previous crop.

Prices, however, were unsatisfactory, being only about two-thirds of the five-yearly average. Except for the overseas shipments in 1926, the average price realised was the lowest in any of the past six years. The estimated nett returns were £250,000 less than in the previous year, although the production was over 60 per cent. greater.

Particulars of production and values are as follow:—

Year.	Production.	Value (in Hobart).
1927-28—	Bushels.	£
Exports Overseas	2,756,780	592,140
Exports Interstate	1,312,990	267,820
Used in Factories and Local Consumption	603,230	59,560
Total	4,673,000	£919,520
1926-27	2,900,000	1,169,450
1925-26	4,132,000	825,000
1924-25	2,210,000	756,800
1923-24	1,889,826	520,000

SMALL FRUITS.

The production, which was 15 per cent. below that for the previous year with prices unaltered, was well above the quinquennial average.

LIVESTOCK (at January, 1928).

HORSES.

The decrease in horses was about 1000, bringing the number to about 36,000 compared with 42,000 ten years ago.

CATTLE.

The total of cattle was 211,000, a decrease of 2200 on the previous year and the lowest number since 1921. Dairy cows were down by 500, and the lowest since 1921 also; but most of the decrease was in cattle for beef.

SHEEP.

The total was 1,905,000, an increase of nearly 100,000 on 1927. Allowing for the different time of the year at which the enumeration was made before 1927, the total indicates that sheep have nearly recovered to the high level of 1919. The big sheep-runs of the Midlands, which carry nearly half the sheep, show little change from last year, and the increase is spread generally over the more agricultural areas. The increase in the number of sheep shorn corresponded very fairly with the increase in number from January to January.

PIGS.

The number increased by nearly 3000 to 41,800, but is still well below the level of 1922 to 1925. The increase on 1927 was general, but particularly marked in the fruit-growing districts.

VALUE OF FARM PRODUCTION.

Estimated nett value, on Farm, of Production available for market.

	1927-28. £	1926-27. £	1923-24. £
Grain Crops	442,980	390,530	317,840
Root Crops	469,670	667,830	366,255
Forage	217,690	170,970	127,490
Hops	193,800	148,480	196,800
Fruits	757,400	1,212,510	556,680
Other Crops	35,660	35,130	28,865
Milk	597,690	560,880	721,700
Wool	1,219,290	1,005,140	1,147,260
Honey and Wax	2,250	1,920	3,450
Livestock	846,390	900,230	1,251,000
Total Agricultural and Pastoral	4,782,820	5,093,620	4,717,340
Deduct cost of fertilisers, sprays, sheep-dips, &c.	299,140	278,360	228,020
Net Value—Agricultural and Pastoral Production	£4,483,680	£4,815,260	£4,489,320

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AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS.

RESULTS OF 1926-1927 AND 1927-1928 COMPARED.

CROPS.

DESCRIPTION OF CROPS.	ACREAGE.				PRODUCTION.				AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE.			
	1927-28.	1926-27.	Average 10 years ending—		1927-28.	1926-27.	Average 10 years ending—		1927-28.	1926-27.	Quantity 10 years ending—	
			1926-27.	1916-17.			1926-27.	1916-17.			1926-27.	1916-17.
Grain and Pulse.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.
Wheat	29,448	23,194	19,648	33,038	773,142	536,358	383,416	653,542	26·26	23·13	19·51	19·78
Barley, English	4517	4987	5574	6234	128,153	132,369	122,573	151,422	28·37	26·54	21·99	24·29
„ Cape	584	678			13,254	17,374			22·70	25·63		
Oats, White	20,823	23,710	46,585	61,568	682,191	679,475	1,203,018	1,777,587	32·76	28·66	25·82	28·87
„ Algerian, & other	22,127	24,651			717,633	677,094			32·43	27·47		
Pease, Grey, & other	14,488	10,956	11,905	15,756	323,752	220,763	200,362	313,755	22·35	20·15	16·83	19·91
„ Blue	9073	7519	10,275		206,884	149,076	179,688		22·80	19·83	17·49	
Beans	489	290	682	335	11,515	6571	11,765	5844	23·56	22·66	17·25	17·44
Grass Seed	496	672	1017	2352	9111	10,412	11,431	36,423	18·37	15·50	11·24	15·49
Total Grain Crops	102,045	96,657	95,686	119,283	2,865,639	2,429,492	2,112,253	2,938,573	..	..	..	.
Root Crops, &c.					tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
Potatoes	44,359	33,984	32,443	29,408	138,837	114,113	85,547	85,199	3·13	3·36	2·64	2·86
Turnips	4340	4457	2775	3481	27,723	21,804	14,098	26,914	6·39	4·89	5·08	7·73
Mangel Wurzels	519	468	556	1274	7466	5122	5843	17,607	14·39	10·94	10·51	13·81
Carrots	131	139	86	133	1714	1677	823	1382	13·08	12·06	9·57	10·39
Linseed (Flax)	115	..	..	..	136	..	..	..	1·18	..	..	..
Total Root Crops, &c.	49,464	39,048	35,860	34,296	175,876	142,716	106,311	131,102	..	..	..	..
Forage.					tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons	tons.
Hay	85,769	98,289	94,531	84,680	124,924	151,187	135,194	122,777	1·46	1·54	1·43	1·45
Green Fodder	23,409	19,213	10,221	6886	4696	4522	6197	18,347	0·20	0·24	0·61	2·66
Total Forage	109,178	117,502	104,752	91,566	129,620	155,709	141,391	141,124	..	..	..	..
Orchards—					bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.
Trees in bearing: Apples	25,296	25,008	24,776	19,065	4,673,000	2,900,000	2,542,664	1,462,358	185·	116·	103·	77·
Pears	2006	1949	1729	1853	174,000	242,030	189,630	120,409	87·	124·	110·	65·
Apricots	1504	1440	1314	1037	156,141	43,199	93,531	*a*	104·	30·	71·	*a*
Plums	572	608	522	727	73,888	54,210	54,101	*a*	129·	89·	104·	*a*
Cherries	53	64	108	362	2240	1950	3458	*a*	42·	30·	32·	*a*
Peaches	57	62	67	211	4000	3626	5110	*a*	70·	58·	76·	*a*
Quinces	52	52	63	51	9330	3345	8310	*a*	179·	64·	132·	*a*
Other Fruits	2640	2455	2121	2081	210,208	247,610	137,962	118,565	80·	67·	65·	57
Trees not in bearing and not productive	1654	1684	4969	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total Orchards	33,834	33,322	35,669	25,387	5,302,807	3,495,970	3,034,766	1,701,332	..	..	..	..
Hops—					lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.
Bearing	1270	1305	1398	1138	2,467,355	2,146,778	1,982,889	1,577,906	1943	1645	1418	1387
Non-bearing	33	69	80	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total Hops	1303	1374	1478	1138	2,467,355	2,146,778	1,982,889	1,577 906	..	..	..	..
Other Crops, &c.	1051	946	1115	1484	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total Orchards, Hops, &c.	36,188	35,642	38,262	28,009	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total Land in Crop	296,875	289,364	274,560	273,154	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

a Not available.

LIVESTOCK.

	1927. (31st December).	1926. (31st December).	Average for Decade ending June, 1927.	Greatest Number Previously Recorded.		Percentage under One Year Old.		
				Year (June).	Number.	1927. 31st Dec.	1926. 31st Dec.	Average for Decade ending 1927 (June).
	No.	No.	No.			%	%	%
Horses	35,872	36,830	38,721	1913	44,039	3·09	3·51	4·24
Cattle	210,894	213,112	214,529	1913	222,181	18·17	16·77	19·76
Sheep	1,904,955	1,807,558	1,661,372	1853	2,219,385	23·76	21·59	20·74
Pigs	41,752	38,906	44,275	1891	81,716	...	...	...

AREA, YIELD, AND VALUE OF CROPS, &c., 1927-28.

The following table gives the separate values of the chief agricultural and pastoral products, both the gross values at city prices and the farm values obtained by deducting cost of freight, bags, &c. *The separate items cannot be added* to give a total value of production See page 8. Some further deductions for selling, commission, &c., have still to be made to obtain strict "farm values," but these will not greatly affect the values given.

AGRICULTURE AND HORTICULTURE.

Description of Production.	Acreage.	Yield per Acre.	Total Yield.	Average Price.	(Approx.) Value of Products. City Values.	Farm Values.
	No.	Bus.	Bus.	£ s. d.	£	£
Grain and Pulse—						
Barley, English Malting	4517	28·37	128,153	0 4 1	26,160	23,390
Barley, Cape	584	22·70	13,254	0 4 0	2650	2360
Beans	489	23·56	11,519	0 9 0	5180	4930
White Oats	20,823	32·76	682,191	0 3 11	133,600	118,820
Algerian Oats	22,127	32·43	717,633	0 3 9	134,600	119,050
Peas, Blue	9073	22·80	206,884	0 8 3	85,340	81,300
Peas, Grey	14,488	22·35	323,752	0 7 2	116,010	109,670
Wheat	29,448	26·26	773,142	0 5 0	193,280	176,530
Grass Seed	496	18·37	9111	0 10 0	4050	4050
Total Grain Crops	102,045	...	2,865,639	...	700,870	640,100
		Tons.	Tons.			
Root Crops, &c.—						
Carrots	131	13·08	1714	7 3 0	12,270	11,550
Mangel Wurzels	519	14·39	7466	2 10 0	18,660	12,440
Linseed (Flax)	115	1·18	136	6 0 0	820	800
Potatoes	44,359	3·13	138,837	4 18 0	677,080	558,490
Turnips	4340	6·39	27,723	3 15 0	88,970	65,290
Total Root Crops, &c.	49,464	...	175,876	...	797,800	648,570
Forage—						
Hay	85,769	1·46	124,924	5 9 0	680,720	529,770
Green Fodder (*d*)	23,409	0·20	4696	2 10 0	11,740	11,740
Total Forage	109,178	...	129,620	...	692,460	541,510
Straw	...	...	33,051	2 14 0	89,230	76,840
		Bus.	Bus.			
Orchards in bearing—						
Apples (*a*)	25,296	185	4,673,000	0 3 11	919,520	530,100
Pears (*c*)	2006	87	174,000	0 5 10	50,720	36,220
Apricots	1504	104	156,141	0 4 3	33,410	33,410
Plums	572	129	73,888	0 3 10	14,260	14,260
Cherries	53	42	2240	0 13 6	1510	1510
Peaches	57	70	4000	0 4 2	840	840
Quinces	52	179	9330	0 5 3	2440	2440
Other (chiefly small fruits) (*b*)	2640	80	210,208	0 13 2	138,620	138,620
Orchards not in bearing	1654	...	...	...	...	...
		Lbs.	cwts.			
Hops, bearing	1270	1943	22,030	8 19 0	197,930	193,800
Hops, not bearing	33	...	...	..	...	...
Total Orchards and Hops	35,137	...	...	...	1,359,250	951,200
Market Gardens	732	...	...	...	23,460	23,460
Other Crops	319	...	...	...	8600	8600
Total Agriculture	296,875	...	...	...	£3,671,670	£2,890,280

(*a*) For details see report. (*b*) The quantity of small fruit received at factories is much larger than the quantity shown in Collectors' books, because fruit raised in town allotments and other small areas is not included. The additional production is estimated and shown above. (*c*) Collectors reports show 276,000 bush. (*d*) Includes 20,000 acres "fed off."

PASTORAL PRODUCTION.

Pastoral Land, &c.	Acreage.	Description of Production.	Total Yield.	Average Price. (Approx.)	(Approx.) Value of Products. City Values.	Farm Values.
				£ s. d.	£	£
Pasture Land with Artificially Sown Grasses	782,136	Milk ..... gals.	22,556,000	...	615,770	597,690
		Wool †..... lbs.	13,272,000	0 1 10½	1,244,250	1,219,290
		Honey & Wax lbs.	89,800	0 0 6	2250	2250
Stubble and Lea Land	232,976	Livestock—	No.			
		Horses	260	25 0 0	6500	6500
		(*a*) Cattle	44,531	10 4 0	453,900	453,900
		(*a*) Sheep	194,785	1 2 0	214,260	214,260
Other Grazing Land	4,642,002	(*a*) Lambs	103,531	1 1 0	108,700	108,700
		Pigs	50,424	1 5 0	63,030	63,030
Total Pastoral	5,657,114	...	...	...	2,708,660	2,665,620

(*a*) The figures given are for Livestock exported and those slaughtered for meat, less the numbers imported. The prices taken are for fair-conditioned fats of the respective kinds of stock. † Includes estimate for unrecorded production based on actual exports.

VALUE OF PRODUCTION (NET).

(APPROXIMATE.)

The following table gives an estimate of the quantities and values of net agricultural and pastoral production for the past five years. The quantities given are the quantities marketed together with an allowance for consumption by the producers and their families. The values differ from the "farm" values of individual products given on the preceding page, chiefly by deduction of hay and other forage used on the farm in order to obtain other products which are marketed. A general deduction is made for expenditure on fertilisers, spray material, sheep-dip, &c. A further deduction should be made for cost of upkeep of buildings, fences, and implements and for depreciation, but sufficient data are not yet available to make a satisfactory estimate of these costs.

Unlike the values on the previous page, these values *can be added together without duplication.* But only the final total for all agricultural and pastoral production together has real significance, because agricultural products consumed on the farm (and therefore not counted here) are used to produce the marketed stock, milk, and wool, which are here given their full farm values.

AGRICULTURAL (INCLUDING FRUIT).

Items.	Quantity.					Value (on Farm).				
	1923-24.	1924-25.	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28	1923-24.	1924-25.	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28.
	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	£	£	£	£	£
Barley	56,600	50,600	47,000	41,100	89,800	11,845	10,780	11,590	9590	16,050
Oats	779,000	675,000	314,000	978,000	908,000	130,920	91,500	64,030	154,850	154,270
Peas	370,000	328,000	224,000	313,000	437,200	112,965	93,700	94,270	132,060	157,310
Wheat	272,000	185,000	317,500	364,000	505,400	62,110	52,100	96,310	94,030	115,350
	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.					
Carrots, Parsnips	1400	1400	1200	2900	4250	3615	3900	4800	13,190	28,640
Mangolds	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Potatoes	82,000	68,000	58,400	94,300	102,880	344,800	438,300	634,500	622,190	413,710
Turnips	6300	6500	10,400	11,800	11,600	17,840	18,410	21,900	32,450	27,320
Hay	39,700	32,000	24,100	43,000	43,600	106,840	105,300	133,540	142,000	184,890
Straw	14,000	9500	11,800	19,000	14,200	20,650	17,810	28,070	28,970	32,800
Market Gardens	...	...	...	...	...	21,220	24,550	23,440	25,670	23,460
Other Crops	...	...	...	...	...	7645	4090	8840	9460	12,200
	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.					
Hops	20,470	19,860	15,570	19,170	22,030	196,800	200,200	138,720	148,480	193,800
	bus.	bus	bus.	bus.	bus.					
Apples	1,889,900	2,210,000	4,132,000	2,900,000	4,673.000	387,300	591,050	515,100	954,200	530,100
Pears	183,500	172,300	220,000	242,000	174,000	35,250	31,780	24,470	64,950	36,220
Small Fruit	121,000	166,500	196,000	247,600	210,200	101,320	105,700	127,370	162,950	138,620
Other Fruit	176,760	162,400	160,980	106,300	245,600	32,810	28,240	29,030	30,410	52,460
Totals	...	...	...	...	...	1,593,930	1,817,418	1,955,980	2,625,450	2,117,200

PASTORAL (INCLUDING DAIRY).

						£	£	£	£	£
Milk...1000 gals.	21,800	21,840	18,640	21,009	22,556	721,700	525,700	520,230	560,880	597,690
Wool ...1000 lbs.	9,438	10,483	12,564	12,333	13,272	1,147,260	1,428,880	1,140,000	1,005,140	1,219,290
Honey & Wax lbs.	134,930	97,140	117,960	77,100	89,800	3450	3650	2960	1920	2250
Livestock—										
Horses	330	310	280	270	260	10,100	7600	6700	7000	6500
Cattle	34,209	36,243	37,148	32,970	44,431	503,000	470,200	420,000	426,400	453,900
Sheep	219,384	193,126	198,476	180,010	194,785	389,400	270,400	228,200	203,560	214,260
Lambs	64,315	63,134	68,936	93,310	103,531	106,100	97,900	77,550	107,310	108,700
Pigs	53,870	56,283	63,446	50,740	50,424	242,400	196,990	172,000	155,960	63,030
Totals						3,123,410	3,001,320	2,567,640	2,468,170	2,665,620
Total—Agricultural and Pastoral						4,717,340	4,818,730	4,523,620	5,093,620	4,782,820
Deduct cost of Fertilisers, Sprays, Sheep-dips, &c.						228,020	224,460	246,850	278,360	299,140
Net Value Agricultural and Pastoral Production						4,489,320	4,594,270	4,276,770	4,815,260	4,483,680

DECENNIAL SUMMARY OF LAND UNDER CROP; ALSO OF LIVESTOCK.

ACREAGE.

Description.	Years.									
	1927-28.	1926-27.	1925-26.	1924-25.	1923-24.	1922-23.	1921-22.	1920-21.	1919-20.	1918-19.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Grain and Pulse—										
Barley	5101	5665	5223	3010	4230	5706	7241	6151	6293	7036
Beans	489	290	441	417	464	449	244	87	436	2960
White Oats	20,823	23,710	20,599	22,424	51,460	58,813	54,642	50,474	48,185	36,231
Algerian Oats	22,127	24,651	16,142	23,751						
Peas, Blue	9073	7519	8214	7691	7232	8728	10,333	8589	12,504	20,776
„ Grey	14,488	10,956	12,787	15,135	14,947	13,634	10,412	7258	9882	11,866
Rye	...	497	273	249	293	673	830	1061	519	475
Tares	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	114
Wheat	29,448	23,194	19,091	12,954	14,503	25,244	27,985	28,284	11,497	11,917
Grass Seed	496	672	641	734	629	523	964	1179	2360	1278
Total Grain, &c.	102,045	97,154	83,411	86,365	93,758	113,770	112,651	103,083	91,731	92,653
Root Crops—										
Carrots	131	139	68	51	76	90	81	81	55	117
Mangel Wurzels	519	468	387	418	595	** 648	678	670	525	631
Onions	...	18	6	12	14	22	34	44	13	33
Potatoes	44,359	33,984	33,190	36,171	37,040	34,407	36,795	32,000	28,511	25,023
Turnips	4340	4457	3542	3041	3681	2519	2600	2780	1973	2094
Total Root Crops	49,349	39,066	37,193	39,693	41,406	37,686	40,188	35,575	31,077	27,898
Forage—										
Hay	85,769	98,289	92,595	87,945	97,183	100,088	91,443	113,618	102,908	87,136
Green Fodder	23,409	19,213	17,101	13,602	10,389	9073	9481	5575	5271	6827
Total Forage	109,178	117,502	109,696	101,547	107,572	109,161	100,924	119,193	108,179	93,963
Orchards (bearing)—										
Apples	25,296	25,008	25,478	25,658	25,681	25,630	26,760	25,610	25,079	22,245
Pears	2006	1949	1904	1920	1936	1930	2000	1567	1489	1284
Apricots	1504	1440	1503	1516	1425	1450	1450	1463	1113	951
Plums	572	608	581	593	552	540	500	503	476	431
Cherries	53	64	81	82	88	100	140	151	132	120
Peaches	57	62	61	65	63	70	72	75	73	60
Quinces	52	52	61	67	68	70	70	84	57	47
Area not bearing—Apples	1374	1346	1449	1500	1495	1898	2670	4132	5620	8122
Other	280	338	395	307	540	431	953	1539	1718	2477
Small Fruits—										
Currants	2640	2455	2378	2284	2228	2570	1950	1889	1930	1687
Raspberries										
Other Fruits										
Total Orchards	33,834	33,322	33,891	33,992	34,076	34,689	36,565	37,013	37,687	37,424
Hops—Bearing	1270	1305	1193	1494	1493	1479	1413	1275	1237	1189
Area not bearing	33	69	225	41	31	66	42	126	75	71
Total Hops	1303	1374	1418	1535	1524	1545	1455	1401	1312	1260
Other Crops	*1166	946	803	740	786	1760	1925	1118	969	911
Total Area in Crop	296,875	289,364	266,412	263,872	279,122	298,611	293,708	297,383	270,955	254,109
Pasture Lands with Sown Grasses	782,136	791,210	821,807	806,331	799,443	857,581	781,000	660,000	667,390	666,954
Fallow Land	51,100	53,159	48,290	51,414	55,430	46,134	44,118	37,332	32,868	32,840
All other Land	5,525,763	5,379,373	5,313,707	5,337,522	5,579,675	5,196,648	5,286,254	5,437,575	5,511,540	5,356,712
Total Land Occupied	6,655,874	6,513,106	6,450,216	6,459,139	6,434,548	6,398,974	6,405,080	6,432,290	6,482,753	6,310,615

* Includes Linseed (Flax), 115 acres. ** Including Beetroot.

LIVESTOCK.

	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Milch Cows kept for Dairy purposes	66,902	67,457	70,382	70,073	70,497	69,991	68,595	63,681	64,073	64,511
Other Cattle	143,992	145,655	141,991	155,667	149,854	148,206	148,109	144,521	150,367	153,723
Total Cattle	210,894	213,112	212,373	225,740	220,351	218,197	216,704	208,202	214,440	218,234
Horses	35,872	36,830	37,785	37,091	37,570	37,313	38,439	39,117	39,452	41,221
Sheep	1,904,955	1,807,558	1,619,075	1,614,085	1,557,716	1,558,494	1,551,273	1,570,832	1,781,425	1,841,924
Pigs	41,752	38,906	41,009	47,305	47,101	46,056	49,743	38,116	35,530	44,328

NOTE.—Livestock enumerated on the 31st Dec., 1926 and 1927 (in previous years in the Autumn).

DECENNIAL SUMMARY OF AGRICULTURAL AND PASTORAL PRODUCTION.

TOTAL PRODUCTION.

Description.	Years.									
	1927-28.	1926-27.	1925-26.	1924-25.	1923-24.	1922-23.	1921-22.	1920-21.	1919-20.	1918-19.
	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.
Grain and Pulse—										
Barley	141,407	149,800	90,619	50,729	94,634	152,027	166,960	161,346	120,516	141,149
Beans	11,519	6570	4621	7299	12,225	10,074	5329	1936	6955	44,936
White Oats	682,191	680,000	436,620	497,502	1,359,785	1,674,751	1,543,617	1,514,155	1,242,258	848,420
Algerian Oats	717,633	677,000	398,853	568,431						
Peas, blue	206,884	149,000	106,220	123,548	159,670	160,830	191,503	181,678	168,613	350,582
„ grey	323,752	221,000	152,543	220,267	319,951	255,482	197,716	139,550	131,932	162,899
Rye	...	7650	4328	2738	4550	8354	12,668	13,459	4610	5462
Tares	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	746	910
Wheat	773,142	537,000	395,603	231,388	305,628	569,587	577,178	565,874	213,589	186,570
Grass Seed	9111	10,400	6584	10,481	8006	8234	13,076	15,798	16,185	14,883
Total	2,865,639	2,438,420	1,595,991	1,712,383	2,264,449	2,839,339	2,708,047	2,593,796	1,905,404	1,755,811
	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
Root Crops—										
Carrots	1714	2900	466	364	636	833	738	686	454	1344
Mangel Wurzels	7466	5120	3863	4867	7169	7645	7140	7369	4407	5805
Onions	...	40	20	48	43	80	117	142	40	129
Potatoes	138,837	114,100	67,341	83,377	99,936	101,201	107,624	88,679	66,225	56,528
Turnips	27,723	21,800	16,431	16,152	18,987	11,764	14,555	12,274	7215	11,967
	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
Forage—										
Hay	124,924	151,200	114,920	121,110	144,298	167,282	136,991	176,798	143,053	115,896
Green Fodder	4696	4520	5274	5588	7056	6663	7919	6594	4286	7741
Straw	33,051	32,690	21,841	23,612	31,216	34,213	34,805	34,898	17,585	12,878
	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.
Orchards, &c.—										
Apples	4,673,000	2,900,000	4,132,000	2,210,000	1,889,826	3,127,509	2,990,550	2,359,094	2,351,939	1,976,676
Pears	174,000	242,000	219,943	172,298	183,349	204,297	207,175	180,392	176,577	173,828
Apricots	156,141	43,200	102,139	105,979	110,439	112,823	129,619	86,039	119,756	80,703
Plums	73,888	54,200	47,615	44,136	50,654	58,765	58,921	47,247	73,224	53,908
Cherries	2240	1950	2171	2369	2410	3118	3682	3277	5452	5021
Peaches	4000	2630	3902	4464	4719	5709	6123	5142	8233	4363
Quinces	9330	3350	5163	5474	8543	12,952	11,201	11,042	10,000	7891
	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.
Small Fruits—										
Currants	3,048,891	2,878,861	2,938,072	1,874,078	1,756,080	2,070,714	1,889,142	1,556,975	1,697,557	1,432,594
Gooseberries	717,241	500,000	271,756	253,866	221,415	344,781	282,278	286,325	316,743	276,005
Raspberries	4,728,344	5,548,600	5,623,023	4,012,195	3,809,927	4,154,276	4,091,878	3,726,012	3,894,948	5,221,350
Strawberries	578,794	890,495	438,374	184,735	171,345	130,354	145,836	185,092	153,890	145,664
Other Fruits, &c., unspecified	1,437,135	2,562,423	533,052	81,977	77,075	64,771	83,463	27,578	18,421	3360
Total (bus.)	5,302,807	3,494,940	4,709,019	2,711,250	2,370,657	3,660,471	3,537,123	2,807,872	2,866,813	2,443,969
Hops (lbs.)	2,467,355	2,146,778	1,743,183	2,224,504	2,292,906	2,173,307	2,194,218	1,863,944	1,384,973	1,798,492
Other Crops (tons)	742 (b)	249	160	204	201	308	590	1910	2277	1634
Pastoral—										
Milk (gals.)	22,556,000	21,009,000	18,640,000	21,840,000	21,200,000	21,000,000	21,000,000	19,000,000	16,502,760	15,796,160
Wool (a) (lbs.)	13,272,000	12,333,000	12,564,000	10,483,452	9,437,921	10,218,550	9,634,624	9,503,048	11,069,237	10,279,998
	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.
Bacon and Ham	2,780,304	1,946,323	2,314,756	2,428,966	2,271,141	1,778,015	1,356,329	1,267,061	1,128,096	1,309,633
Butter	6,514,642	6,032,597	5,122,992	6,455,746	6,183,521	5,716,708	5,270,243	4,014,402	4,290,724	4,947,560
Cheese	1,029,344	971,644	836,738	1,152,015	1,345,661	934,601	1,016,037	799,432	861,460	702,868
Preserved Cream	174,580	130,257	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Honey	89,800	77,100	117,958	97,142	133,330	71,030	82,920	85,125	80,468	151,605

(a) From 1925-26 the production of wool is based on the records of exports. In previous years the wool production is understated, but corrected figures cannot at present be given. The question is under investigation.

(b) Includes Flax (Linseed), 136 tons.

DECENNIAL SUMMARY OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION.

YIELD PER ACRE.

Description.	1927-28.	1926-27.	1925-26.	1924-25.	1923-24.	1922-23.	1921-22.	1920-21.	1919-20.	1918-19.
Grain and Pulse—	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.
Barley	27·72	26·43	17·35	16·85	22·37	26·86	23·06	26·15	19·15	20·06
Beans	23·56	22·66	10·48	17·50	26·35	22·44	21·84	22·25	15·95	15·19
Oats	32·59	28·05	22·74	23·08	26·42	28·47	28·25	30·00	25·78	23·11
Peas (Blue)	22·80	19·83	12·93	16·06	22·08	18·43	18·99	21·16	13·48	16·88
Peas (Grey)	22·35	20·15	11·93	14·55	21·40	18·74	18·54	19·23	13·35	13·73
Rye	...	15·40	15·85	11·00	15·53	12·41	15·26	12·69	8·88	11·50
Wheat	26·26	22·13	20·72	17·86	21·08	22·56	20·62	20·01	18·57	15·65
Grass Seed	18·37	15·49	10·27	14·28	12·73	15·74	13·56	13·40	6·86	11·64
All Grain and Pulse	28·08	25·09	19·13	19·83	24·15	24·95	...	25·16	20·77	18·95
Root Crops—	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
Carrots	13·08	20·86	6·85	7·14	8·37	9·26	9·11	8·47	8·26	11·48
Mangel Wurzels	14·39	10·94	9·98	11·64	12·05	11·80	10·53	11·00	8·39	9·20
Onions	...	2·28	3·33	4·00	3·07	3·64	3·44	3·23	3·08	3·91
Potatoes	3·13	3·36	2·03	2·30	2·70	2·94	2·92	2·77	2·32	2·25
Turnips	6·39	4·89	4·64	5·31	5·16	4·67	5·60	4·42	3·66	5·71
Forage—										
Hay	1·46	1·54	1·24	1·38	1·48	1·67	1·50	1·56	1·39	1·32
Green Fodder	0·20	0·24	0·31	0·40	0·68	0·74	0·84	1·18	0·81	1·13
Orchards, &c.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.	bus.
Apples	185	116	164	86	74	122	112	92	94	89
Pears	87	124	116	90	95	106	104	115	118	135
Apricots	104	30	68	70	78	78	89	59	107	85
Plums	129	89	82	75	94	109	118	94	154	125
Cherries	42	30	27	29	27	31	26	22	41	42
Peaches	70	58	64	69	75	81	109	69	112	73
Quinces	179	64	85	82	126	185	160	131	175	168
Small Fruits	80	101	82	56	54	52	66	61	63	84
	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.
Hops	1943	1645	1461	1489	1536	1469	1553	1462	1120	1512
	tons.									
Linseed (Flax)	1·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Year = for 12 months ending the April following the year shown.

PRICES OF PRODUCE.

	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Grain and Pulse—										
Barley (per bus.)	4 1	4 8	5 0	4 6	4 6	5 2	4 0	4 10	5 7	5 9
Beans ,,	9 0	9 6	7 6	7 0	7 0	8 0	7 6	9 0	8 6	6 0
Oats ,,	3 10	3 7	4 6	3 2	3 8	3 9	3 1	2 11	5 6	3 0
Peas ,,	7 9	8 10	8 10	6 3	6 3 to 7 0	7 9 to 7 6	7 9 to 8 0	6 8 to 9 0	9 4 to 11 8	6 0 to 12 0
Rye ,,	7 6	7 0	8 6	6 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	9 6	10 0	5 0
Wheat ,,	5 0	5 7	6 6	6 6	5 0	5 1	5 0	9 6	7 4	4 9
Grass Seed ,,	10 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 6	5 6	11 0	12 10	11 0	7 6
Root Crops, &c.—										
Carrots (per ton)	143 0	108 0	90 0	60 0	60 0	85 0	60 0	82 0	170 0	80 0
Mangel Wurzels ,,	50 0	40 0	50 0	35 0	40 0	60 0	60 0	70 0	80 0	40 0
Onions ,,	140 0	162 0	320 0	120 0	90 0	125 0	160 0	157 0	337 0	200 0
Potatoes ,,	98 0	150 0	234 0	146 0	101 6	172 0	140 0	110 0	240 0	120 0
Turnips ,,	75 0	72 6	92 0	65 0	65 0	76 0	58 0	63 0	140 0	75 0
Forage—										
Hay ,,	109 0	90 0	135 0	90 0	78 0	78 0	63 0	98 6	125 0	110 0
Green Fodder ,,	50 0	40 0	40 0	35 0	35 0	40 0	40 0	60 0	120 0	110 0
Straw ,,	54 0	54 9	55 0	45 0	37 0	60 0	58 0	73 0	93 0	45 0
Fruit—										
Apples (per bus.)	3 11	8 0	3 10	7 0	5 3	5 0	5 3	4 9	4 4	5 0
Pears ,,	5 10	6 10	5 1	5 2	5 6	7 6	7 6	3 0	3 8	3 0
Apricots ,,	4 3	6 3	4 0	4 0	3 10	3 7	3 10	6 3	5 10	8 0
Plums ,,	3 10	5 2	2 6	1 11	3 4	3 10	3 6	2 0	5 7	6 0
Cherries ,,	13 6	10 0	8 0	8 0	7 4	5 0	3 9	4 7	4 6	4 6
Peaches ,,	4 2	7 9	4 6	4 0	4 6	4 0	4 8	5 0	4 0	5 0
Quinces ,,	5 3	3 6	3 6	3 9	2 9	2 2	2 9	2 3	3 6	3 4
Currants (per lb.)	0 3	0 3	0 3¼	0 3¼	0 4	0 4½	0 5½	0 3½	0 3	0 3
Raspberries ,,	0 3	0 3	0 3	0 3¼	0 4	0 4¼	0 6¼	0 3	0 2⅔	0 2½
Gooseberries (per bus.)	7 0	6 0	4 2	5 0	5 0	4 6	5 0	6 8	6 8	6 9
Hops	1 7	1 5	1 7½	1 10	1 9	2 1	3 0	3 8	3 9	1 6
Linseed (Flax)—(per ton)	120 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wool	1 10½	1 8	1 10½	2 10½	2 6	1 7	1 0	1 2	1 7	1 6
Milk—Cities (per pint)	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 4	0 4½	0 3½	0 3¼
Factories (per gal.)	0 8	0 6	0 6	0 5½	0 6	0 5¾	0 10	0 7½	0 7½	0 7¼

DECENNIAL AVERAGES (1918-19 TO 1927-28).

	Acreage.	Production.	Yield per Acre.	Price.
	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	(per bushel.) s. d.
Grain—				
Barley	5566	126,913	22·60	4 9
Beans	628	11,146	19·82	7 11
Oats	47,403	1,284,078	26·88	3 9
Peas, blue	10,066	179,860	18·26	8 0
,, grey	12,136	212,485	17·40	
Wheat	20,412	435,492	20·65	6 0
Grass Seed	948	11,277	13·23	8 1
				(per ton)
Root Crops—		tons.	tons.	s. d.
Carrots	89	891	9·41	93 10
Mangel Wurzels	534	6085	10·99	52 6
Potatoes	34,148	92,386	2·67	151 0
Turnips	3003	15,887	5·05	78 2
Forage—				
Hay	95,697	139,646	1·45	97 8
Green Fodder	11,994	6034	0·65	57 0
Straw	...	...	...	57 6
				(per bushel)
Orchards (bearing)—		bushels.	bushels.	s. d.
Apples	25,244	2,861,059	113	5 3
Pears	1798	193,389	109	5 4
Apricots	1381	104,684	77	5 0
Plums	536	56,257	107	3 9
Cherries	101	3169	32	6 11
Peaches	66	5028	78	4 9
Quinces	63	8494	135	3 3
Trees not in bearing	3858	...	...	...
				(per lb.)
		bushels.	bushels.	s. d.
Small Fruits	2201	146,246	70	0 3½
		lbs.	lbs.	
Hops	1402	2,028,966	1519	2 3
,, (not bearing)	78	...	...	...
		tons.		
Other Crops	1101	814	...	...
Total in Crop (including non-bearing Orchards,&c.)	281,041	...	...	...

	Number.
Livestock at time of Collector's visit—	
Horses	38,069
Dairy Cows	67,616
Heifers	27,821
Calves	40,808
Other Cattle	79,579
Sheep	1,680,734
Pigs	42,896

TENURE OF LAND, 1927.

Division.	Number of Occupiers.	Area Occupied.						Percentage Rented B×100 / A+B+C See Note.
		Freehold Land.			Crown Land.		Total Area Occupied.	
		Occupied by Owner. A.	Rented from Owner. B	Farmed on Share System.	In Process of Purchase from Crown. C.	Leased or Licensed.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Per cent.
Urban	447	10,724	5146	364	2430	340	19,004	28·12
North-Western ...	3849	732,061	174,774	9930	57,824	182,790	1,157,379	18·12
North-Eastern ...	1990	625,340	117,288	8795	68,924	606,413	1,426,760	14·45
North Midland ...	940	491,857	113,060	1506	14,639	73,672	694,734	18·25
Midland	825	1,343,237	203,736	56	28,474	377,747	1,953,250	12·93
South-Eastern	1360	621,376	122,556	859	30,021	200,603	975,415	15·84
Southern	2481	275,060	40,045	827	24,702	41,173	381,807	11·78
Western	121	3959	1942	...	5344	36,280	47,525	17·25
Total	12,013	4,103,614	778,547	22,337	232,358	1,519,018	6,655,874	15·22

NOTE.—The percentage in the last column is designed to give an approximate measure of the proportion of farming and pastoral land, excluding Crown leases and licenses, that is rented from the owner. Share farms are left out as being intermediate in their nature. The figure given is the percentage of rented land to the total made up of rented land, freehold occupation, and Crown land in process of purchase on time payment.

AREA UNDER CROP AND BARE FALLOW, AND NEW GROUND.

Division.	Land under Crop.	Bare Fallow.	Stubble and Lea Land.	All Other.		New Ground.	
				Fit for Carrying Stock.	Unfit for Carrying Stock.	*Land Cleared during Year 1927.	
						Fit for Plough.	Rough. For Grass.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Urban	2891	400	390	14,413	910	18	6
North-Western	114,800	8453	64,104	797,059	172,963	3691	2686
North-Eastern	27,752	3679	38,072	1,119,373	237,884	1018	1996
North Midland	62,889	19,925	55,353	537,490	19,077	720	230
Midland	20,911	6298	31,271	1,830,193	64,577	702	879
South-Eastern	42,217	10,499	35,766	838,070	48,863	532	2073
Southern	25,402	1846	8016	256,293	90,250	607	1680
Western	13	...	4	31,247	16,261	5	...
Total	296,875	51,100	232,976	5,424,138	650,785	7293	9550

Included in column "Fit for Carrying Stock."

IRRIGATION.

Municipality.	Area Served by—			Total Area Irrigated.	Crop Irrigated.				
	Gravitation.	Windmill.	Other Power.		Hops.	Green Fodder.	Fruit.	Pasture.	Other Crops.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Latrobe	400	...	...	400	...	...	...	400	...
Beaconsfield	207	...	...	207	...	2	...	200	5
Table Cape	15	...	...	15	...	...	...	15	...
Launceston	...	...	38	38	...	...	...	...	38
Fingal	35	2	...	37	...	...	2	35	...
Evandale	...	...	60	60	...	...	.	60	...
Longford	57	...	22	79	...	...	..	77	2
St. Leonards	...	...	25	25	...	...	...	25	...
Bothwell	670	1	...	671	...	210	...	459	2
Campbell Town	40	5	10	55	...	1	2	...	52
Hamilton	959	...	933	1892	180	5	2	1705	...
Oatlands	50	...	50	100	...	...	...	100	...
Ross	804	15	3	822	...	...	2	786	34
Spring Bay	200	...	200	400	...	...	400	...	...
Green Ponds	100	...	...	100	...	...	...	100	...
Kingborough	35	...	...	35	25	1	3	...	6
New Norfolk	1588	5	436	2029	900	91	282	595	161
Other districts.....	10	1	40	51	18	6	27	...	...
Total	5170	29	1817	7016	1123	316	720	4557	300

HOLDINGS—NUMBER AND ACREAGE.

Classification.	1927. Holdings. No.	1927. Holdings. Per cent. to Total.	1927. Total Area in Acres.	1922. Holdings. Per cent. to Total.	1915. Holdings. Per cent. to Total.
Under 50 acres	3402	27·47	64,779	31·94	32·66
50 and under 100 "	2192	17·70	153,577	17·73	17·06
100 " 500 "	5017	40·51	1,040,358	38·09	38·20
500 " 1000 "	748	6·04	509,117	5·45	5·41
1000 " 5000 "	776	6·27	1,584,025	5·22	5·00
5000 " 10,000 "	148	1·19	1,023,408	·89	·87
10,000 " 20,000 "	68	·55	934,628	·42	·52
20,000 " 50,000 "	29	·23	816,674	·22	·26
50,000 acres and over	5	·04	386,540	·04	·02
Total	12,385	100·00	6,513,106	100·00	100·00

NUMBER AND AREA OF HOLDINGS.

Year.	Number of Holdings. Under 50 acres.	50 and under 100 acres.	100 and under 240 acres.	240 and under 500 acres.	500 and under 1000 acres.	1000 and under 5000 acres.	5000 and under 10,000 acres.	10,000 and under 20,000 acres.	20,000 and under 50,000 acres.	50,000 acres and over.	Total.
June.											
1914.....	4402	2271	5088		721	667	116	69	34	3	13,371
1915....	4416	2306	5165		731	676	118	70	35	3	13,520
1916.....	4403	2299	5148		729	674	117	69	35	3	13,477
1917	4392	2293	5134		727	672	117	69	35	3	13,442
1918.....	4606	2348	5163		788	723	125	56	33	5	13,847
1919.....	4636	2363	5196		793	728	126	57	33	5	13,937
1920.....	4546	2428	5237		771	731	130	62	31	6	13,942
1921.....	4539	2521	5412		776	738	128	60	32	5	14,211
1922.....	4544	2523	5420		776	743	127	60	32	6	14,231
1925.....	4288	2568	5230		785	751	131	63	34	4	13,854
1927.....	3402	2192	5017		748	776	148	68	29	5	12,385
Area of Holdings.											
1914 ...	72,786	157,181	1,033,625		482,723	1,367,511	786,400	919,370	887,087	316,458	6,023,141
1915.....	73,012	159,601	1,049,400		489,801	1,387,235	798,000	933,125	900,150	321,150	6,111,474
1916.....	74,045	161,859	1,064,244		496,729	1,406,857	809,288	946,324	912,882	325,693	6,197,921
1917.....	75,562	165,002	1,085,101		506,661	1,434,600	825,176	965,103	930,852	332,503	6,320,500
1918	74,422	162,787	1,070,535		514,111	1,492,525	868,344	705,334	888,516	492,115	6,268,689
1919.....	74,920	163,830	1,077,900		517,530	1,502,450	874,250	709,950	894,400	495,385	6,310,615
1920.....	73,727	167,847	1,070,054		522,912	1,528,491	905,046	803,483	812,815	598,378	6,482,753
1921.....	76,447	174,417	1,116,068		525,869	1,586,459	899,212	776,749	884,811	392,258	6,432,290
1922.....	76,500	174,550	1,117,720		535,610	1,591,000	893,000	762,700	869,000	385,000	6,405,080
1925.....	69,674	161,284	1,063,290		530,120	1,651,030	877,643	830,754	936,376	338,968	6,459,139
1927.....	64,779	153,577	1,040,358		509,117	1,584,025	1,023,408	934,628	816,674	386,540	6,513,106

NOTE.—Holdings were not classified in 1926 and 1928.

CLASSIFICATION OF SHEEP FLOCKS, AND AREA OF HOLDINGS ON WHICH DEPASTURED, 31ST DECEMBER, 1927.

Size of Flock .. / Area of Holding.	Under 100. Flocks.	Under 100. Sheep.	100 to 500. Flocks.	100 to 500. Sheep.	500 to 1000. Flocks.	500 to 1000. Sheep.	1000 to 2000. Flocks.	1000 to 2000. Sheep.	2000 to 5000. Flocks.	2000 to 5000. Sheep.	5000 to 10,000. Flocks.	5000 to 10,000. Sheep.	10,000 to 20,000. Flocks.	10,000 to 20,000. Sheep.	20,000 to 50,000. Flocks.	20,000 to 50,000. Sheep.	All Sizes. Flocks.	All Sizes. Sheep.
Acres.	No.	No.	No.	No	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1 to 50	190	4848	3	527	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	193	5375
50 " 100	349	12,963	28	3896	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	377	16,859
100 " 500	1249	69,387	788	149,660	17	10,952	2	2020	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2056	232,019
500 " 1000	128	6654	305	80,315	75	49,240	6	6959	1	2190	..	..	..	..	..	..	515	145,358
1000 " 5000	46	2288	233	66,304	182	128,712	126	191,023	47	130,334	1	7200	..	..	..	..	635	525,861
5000 " 10,000	3	117	13	3663	23	17,227	37	57,340	61	197,164	12	67,516	..	..	..	..	149	343,027
10,000 " 20,000	..	..	2	505	7	5519	7	11,009	22	73,149	22	149,429	4	44,074	..	..	64	283,685
20,000 " 50,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3978	4	16,019	8	76,515	10	128,868	1	24,487	26	249 867
50,000 " 100,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	34,508	1	21,086	3	55,594
Over 100,000....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5000	..	..	1	42,310	2	47,310
Total	1965	96,257	1372	304,870	304	211,650	181	272,329	135	418,856	44	305,660	16	207,450	3	87,883	4020	1,904,955

FARM WORKERS.

	Divisions.								
	Urban.	North-Western.	North-Eastern.	North-Midland.	Midland.	South-Eastern.	Southern.	Western.	Total.*
Number of Workers, principally—									
Agricultural	60	3994	1100	1109	595	929	273	...	8060
Dairying	115	1275	816	269	113	219	171	24	3002
Pastoral	2	314	625	280	742	391	113	4	2371
Fruit Growing	170	106	328	32	54	462	3010	...	4162
Total	347	5689	2769	1690	1504	2001	3567	28	17,595
Number on Wages	131	1440	807	709	738	666	1112	2	5605
Percentage on Wages—									
All Workers	*38*	*25*	*29*	*42*	*49*	*33*	*31*	*7*	*32*
Females	*8*	*12*	*13*	*33*	*59*	*21*	*19*	...	*17*
Boys under 17	*75*	*44*	*69*	*62*	*72*	*63*	*50*	...	*56*
Males over 17	*37*	*26*	*28*	*41*	*48*	*33*	*31*	*10*	*32*
Percentage of Females to Total Workers—									
Agricultural	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*·06*
Dairying	*18*	*38*	*27*	*31*	*45*	*31*	*22*	*25*	*32*
Pastoral	...	*2*	*0·4*	*0·4*	...	...	...	...	*0·3*
Fruit Growing	*2*	*7*	*6*	...	...	*9*	*4*	...	*4*
Total	*7*	*9*	*9*	*5*	*3*	*6*	*4*	*21*	*7*
Percentage of Boys under 17 to Total Workers—									
Agricultural	*3*	*3*	*4*	*4*	*5*	*5*	*5*	...	*4*
Dairying	*15*	*11*	*10*	*5*	*6*	*7*	*12*	*1*	*10*
Pastoral	...	*4*	*4*	*4*	*3*	*2*	*4*	...	*3*
Fruit Growing	*5*	*5*	*4*	*9*	...	*3*	*3*	...	*3*
Total	*8*	*5*	*6*	*4*	*4*	*4*	*4*	*1*	*5*

* This total includes the Western Division (28 workers).

FARM WORKERS—DECENNIAL SUMMARY.

Land Workers.	Number of Workers.										Increase, 1928 on 1919.
	1928.	1927.	1926.	1925.	1924.	1923.	1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.	Per cent.
Agricultural —Male	8055	8241	8308	8274	9112	9255	9025	9602	7197	7318	*10·1*
" Female	5	7	54	39	320	364	464	671	544	784	(*a*)
Dairying —Male	2030	2035	2242	2573	2871	2956	3150	2309	1483	1457	*39·3*
" Female	972	1218	2008	2581	3140	2138	1970	1543	1591	2005	(*a*)
Pastoral —Male	2294	2283	2297	2366	2267	2364	2808	2332	2351	2398	*— 4·3*
" Female	77	23	14	57	180	118	139	160	215	227	(*a*)
Fruit Growing—Male	3977	3781	3679	3873	3793	3964	3710	4010	2807	2898	*37·2*
" Female	185	224	429	447	564	253	335	307	297	327	(*a*)
Total —Male	16,425	16,340	16,526	17,086	18,043	18,539	18,693	18,253	13,838	14,071	*16·7*
Female	1170	1472	2505	3124	4204	2873	2908	2681	2647	3343	(*a*)
Percentage of Females	*7·2*	*9·0*	*15·2*	*18·3*	*23·3*	*15·5*	*13·5*	*12·8*	*16·1*	*19·2*	..

(*a*) Number of female workers are not comparable, because in certain years many engaged only in house-work were improperly included.

WOOL PRODUCTION.

DECENNIAL Summary of the Value and Quantity of Wool, 1918-19 *to* 1927-28.

Year.	Wool Produced.					Wool used in Local Manufacture, Less Quantity Imported.	Total Quantity available for Export.
	Clip.	Stripped from Skins.	Wool on Skins Exported (estimated).	Total Quantity of Wool Produced.	Total Value of Wool Produced.		
	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	£	lbs.	lbs.
1918-19	9,096,710	104,988	1,078,300	10,279,998	771,000	650,503	9,629,495
1919-20	9,811,997	151,924	1,105,316	11,069,237	876,300	498,771	10,570,466
1920-21	8,046,000	94,028	1,363,020	9,503,048	554,344	564,871	8,938,177
1921-22	8,234,340	348,044	1,052,240	9,634,624	481,731	521,853	9,112,771
1922-23	8,813,594	273,000	1,131,956	10,218,550	808,968	591,030	9,627,520
1923-24	8,418,451	93,990	925,480	9,437,921	1,179,740	963,369	8,849,232
1924-25	9,340,967	126,085	1,016,400	10,483,452	1,466,750	717,220	9,766,232
1925-26	11,483,104	75,000	1,005,896	12,564,000	1,177,875	1,619,469	10,944,531
1926-27	11,353,480	68,600	910,920	12,333,000	1,005,140	1,125,200	11,207,800
1927-28	12,267,552	—	1,005,448	13,273,000	1,219,290	1,189,089	12,083,911

NOTE.—See page 10, note (*a*).

DECENNIAL SUMMARY OF FARMING MACHINERY.

	1928.	1927.	1926.	1925.	1924.	1923.	1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.
Engines—										
Stationary ..... No.	810	751	755	732	*170	*195	*218	*234	*254	*262
Tractor ..... No.	332	293	261	224	†836	†811	†723	†721	†540	†504
Total Horsepower	9066	8017	7312	6422	5310	5580	4878	4417	4184	4008
Agricultural—										
Strippers and Harvesters	146	162	166	175	195	190	185	159	220	258
Reapers and Binders	2648	2644	2639	2649	2718	2752	2774	2723	2687	2826
Threshing Machines	134	127	129	122	133	126	134	135	150	161
Winnowing Machines	768	814	852	829	781	795	784	825	756	806
Graders—Grain	176	139	121	149	135	135	144	165	291	273
,, Apple	490	337	282	191	158	127	120	119		
Chaffcutters	297A	1718	1778	1836	1929	2023	2211	2191	2224	2242
Straw Presses	41	59	60	59	69	69	61	91	...	...
Ploughs—Disc.....	2418	2227	2075	2023	1993	2054	1808	1694	15,647	15,526
,, Other	14,332	14,274	14,203	14,547	14,933	14,832	15,116	14,909		
Harrows	10,831	10,514	10,628	10,751	11,194	10,800	11,085	11,236	11,055	10,850
Cultivators	5455	5415	5353	5538	5664	5260	5289	5284	5014	4910
Grain Drills.....	2548	2574	2437	2415	2365	2309	2296	2289	2247	2382
Spray Pumps	1363	1279	1310	1134	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cider Presses	24	23	31	17	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manure-distributors.....	201	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grain-crushers..... ...	101	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hop-presses	95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dairying—										
Milking Machine Plants	236	235	243	222	231	238	212	173	115	143
,, Double Sets	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	129	85
,, Single Sets	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	161	151
Cream Separators	6759	6698	6700	6894	6864	6670	6170	6028	5596	5402
Pastoral—										
Shearing Machines	694	693	648	590	536	534	541	551	516	493
Wool Presses	605	592	573	533	524	552	561	576	559	614
Value—										
Dairying ..... £	98,603	100,954	107,671	108,461	116,623	115,334	113,164	94,329	66,025	...
Pastoral ..... £	57,411	53,366	50,832	50,576	51,872	50,375	51,079	44,487	47,318	...
All Other ..... £	556,637	557,284	545,428	547,642	563,520	558,375	544,282	542,678	471,320	...
Total ..... £	712,651	711,604	703,931	706,679	732,015	724,084	708,525	681,494	584,663	513,079

NOTE.—Until 1925 engines were shown as either steam* or oil†.

A Power-driven.

DECENNIAL SUMMARY OF BEES AND HONEY.

	1927-28.	1926-27.	1925-26.	1924-25.	1923-24.	1922-23.	1921-22.	1920-21.	1919-20.	1918-19.
Bees—										
Hives—Box ..... No.	2334	2064	3287	2711	3676	3853	4417	4239	5150	6841
Frame..... No.	1663	1524	2008	2111	2005	1822	2173	1932	2210	2378
Total ..... No.	3997	3588	5295	4822	5681	5675	6590	6171	7360	9219
Honey—Box ..... lbs.	45,312	39,782	68,565	47,890	73,151	36,655	49,982	46,289	46,131	104,566
Frame ..... lbs.	43,107	36,094	47,827	47,586	60,179	34,375	32,938	38,836	34,337	47,039
Total ..... lbs.	88,419	75,876	116,392	95,476	133,330	71,030	82,920	85,125	80,468	151,605
Honey—Per Hive—										
Box ..... lbs.	19·4	19·3	20·9	17·7	19·9	9·5	11·3	10·9	9·0	15·3
Frame ..... lbs.	25·9	23·7	23·8	22·5	30·0	18·8	15·1	20·1	15·5	19·8
Total ..... lbs.	22·1	21·1	22·0	19·8	23·5	12·5	12·6	13·8	10·9	16·4
Wax ..... lbs.	1337	1224	1566	1666	1596	1473	1976	1788	2329	3087

DECENNIAL SUMMARY OF LIVESTOCK.

(At time of Collector's visit March-June of Year specified.)

	1928.*	1927.*	1926.	1925.	1924.	1923.	1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.
Horses—										
Total	35,872	36,830	37,785	37,091	37,570	37,313	38,439	39,117	39,452	41,221
Percentage under 1 year	3·09	3·51	4·32	4·4	4·10	3·77	3·69	3·17	4·35	5·18
Percentage of Mares	46·35	45·61	45·2	46·1	46·70	46·63	46·46	45·95	...	...
Cattle—										
Dairy Cows	66,902	67,457	70,382	70,073	70,497	69,991	68,595	63,681	64,073	64,511
Percentage in milk (*a*)	79·12	64·58	47·66	54·7	67·24	45·42	65·84	62·38	71·55	76·52
Calves dropped per 100 Cows	81	76	79	84	79	76	77	67	75	84
Heifers 1 to 2 years	25,864	27,911	27,303	29,425	29,689	28,253	26,801	27,708	28,219	27,036
Calves under 1 year	38,327	35,749	38,580	44,159	40,486	40,204	43,581	37,889	39,470	49,638
Working Bullocks	5091	5149	5730	6647	6962	6643	6938	6378	82,680	77,049
Other Cattle	74,710	76,846	70,378	75,436	72,717	73,106	70,789	72,546		
Total	210,894	213,112	212,373	225,740	220,351	218,197	216,704	208,202	214,442	218,234
Pigs—										
Total	41,752	38,906	41,009	47,305	47,101	46,056	49,743	38,116	35,530	44,328
Percentage of Sows	17·50	19·53	20·55	17·94	18·16	19·02	18·52	18·12	...	...
Goats	1809	2021	1529	2066	2268	2349	1928	1627	...	...
Sheep—										
Total	1,904,955	1,807,558	1,619,075	1,614,085	1,557,716	1,558,494	1,551,273	1,570,832	1,781,425	1,841,924
Ewes	788,238	755,333	701,182	695,148	672,977	676,673	678,638	712,149	..	...
Percentage of breeds—										
Merino	12·4	14·1	11·3	13·0	11·4	12·8	10·0	9·7	...	...
Other pure breeds	1·8	2·9	1·6	1·0	1·6	1·6	1·9	1·7	...	...
Comeback	27·3	24·2	21·4	86·0	87·0	85·6	88·1	88·6	...	...
Other	58·5	58·8	65·7							
Percentage of Lambs	23·76	21·6	19·88	22·3	21·0	21·1	22·0	16·92	18·81	21·87
A Ewes	788,238	755,333	701,182	695,148	672,977	676,673	678,638	712,149	...	...
B Ewes put to Ram (*b*)	629,362	562,783	553,971	556,583	516,656	524,277	506,359	415,903	455,527	633,957
C Lambs dropped (*b*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	405,012	327,950	440,486	499,092
D Lambs marked (*b*)	487,737	432,594	389,789	423,365	391,710	411,413	378,827	298,971	401,796	463,276
Percentage D of B	77·5	76·9	70·4	76·1	75·82	78·45	74·81	71·88	88·20	73·07
„ B of A	80·0	74·5	79·0	80·1	76·77	77·48	74·63	58·40	...	...

(*a*) The percentage varies greatly with the time of year at which information is collected. In 1923 and 1926 the time was unusually late. (*n*) No record.

(*b*) In the season preceding the year named.

* The figures under the years 1927 and 1928 represent the numbers as on 31st December of the previous year.

MANURE.

Division.	Area in Crop.	Area Manured in 1927-28.		Manure Used.		Approximate Cost.	Total Equivalent in Artificial per Acre Manured.	Cost per Acre.
		With Farmyard Manure.	With Artificial Manure.	Natural, Farmyard, &c.	Artificial, Bonedust, &c.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Tons.	Cwt.	£	Cwt.	s. d.
Urban	2891	257	824	1026	3259	2570	3·9	47 7
North-Western	114,800	814	98,074	2641	228,811	138,871	2·3	28 1
North-Eastern	27,752	276	22,461	1478	39,533	24,607	1·8	21 8
North-Midland	62,889	268	55,380	1730	57,815	35,727	1·1	12 10
Midland	20,911	160	20,745	926	25,802	16,037	1·3	15 4
South-Eastern	42,217	543	34,251	3961	40,033	26,396	1·3	15 2
Southern	25,402	625	20,476	3588	93,288	58,126	4·6	55 1
Western	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	296,875	2943	252,211	15,350	488,541	302,334	1·97	23 8

NOTE.—1 ton of farmyard manure is taken as roughly equivalent to 1 cwt. of artificial fertiliser, and the cost of artificial is averaged at 12s. per cwt.

DECENNIAL RETURN OF MANURE.

	1927-28.	1926-27.	1925-26.	1924-25.	1923-24.	1922-23.	1921-22.	1920-21.	1919-20.	1918-19.
Area Manured—										
Dung.....acres	2943	2851	2834	2972	3893	3574	4009	3167	5357	5948
Artificial.....acres	252,211	231,034	207,821	195,957	193,453	193,347	183,297	182,717	148,249	129,610
Manure used—										
Dung.....tons	15,350	14,183	15,976	16,597	25,656	25,527	23,603	18,510	21,604	25,032
Artificial.....cwts.	488,541	432,676	380,914	342,679	348,626	335,789	311,387	298,241	251,764	227,343
Equivalent Artificial...per acre	1·97	1·91	1·88	1·81	1·90	1·84	1·79	1·76	1·8	1·9

LIVESTOCK.

Livestock Slaughtered, 1893-1927.

YEAR.	SHEEP AND LAMBS.	HORNED CATTLE AND CALVES.	PIGS.
	No.	No.	No.
1893	106,497	11,241	9413
1894	100,236	11,096	8694
1895	104,315	11,245	8614
1896	102,266	9393	10,726
1897	107,223	10,615	8957
1898	104,303	10,029	6188
1899	98,913	10,276	6684
1900	91,829	9114	9883
1901	101,627	8815	9121
1902	114,900	10,193	9327
1903	122,223	9842	7847
1904	109,992	10,708	8178
1905	101,863	12,035	4916
1906	104,081	10,503	8593
1907	107,859	12,037	12,226
1908	115,560	11,907	8160
1909	111,445	10,059	8370
1910[a]	191,109	19,240	14,995
1911[a]	198 543	22,739	19,111
1912	216,097	28,999	16,478
1913	315,726	30,038	34,076
1914	312,275	30,064	29,000
1915	308,551	32,474	31,682
1916	283,313	26,972	37,086
1917[a] [b]	259,287	23,521	47,251
1918 [b]	295,844	22,419	62,660

	Sheep.	Lambs.	Bullocks.	Cows.	Calves.	For Pork.	For Curing.
1919	281,500	48,500	9995	4665	1093	31,165	13,433
1920	330,918	56,428	17,425	8134	1909	18,747	13,548
1921	293,388	69,483	26,195	5745	1626	10,320	25,517
1922	274,407	70,582	22,282	6752	1992	33,867	15,867
1923	252,123	64,315	20,238	11,209	2282	31,677	21,208
1924	212,983	63,134	21,068	12,544	2542	31,148	24,081
1925	217,755	68,936	20,803	13,562	2359	38,955	23,177
1926	217,115	93,313	18,026	13,445	1518	32,185	18,556
1927	225,140	103,531	19,564	14,686	1999	28,701	20,092

NOTE.—Up to 1909 the returns are for Hobart and Launceston only. From 1909 to 1912 returns are for all public slaughter-houses (in State) only. From 1912 onward returns are from all sources (farms, abattoirs, factories, &c.).

[a] Country returns not complete for this year. [b] 1917 includes 35, and 1918 22, sheep for boiling down.

DECENNIAL RETURN SHOWING TOTAL PRODUCTION OF BACON, BUTTER, CHEESE, AND MILK.

Year.	Production.									Total Milk Production (estimated)
	Bacon and Ham.			Butter.(*)			Cheese.			
	Factories.	Farms.	Total.	Factories.	Farms.	Total.	Factories.	Farms.	Total.	
	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	gals.
1917	857,129	441,690	1,298,819	3,478,365	1,369,862	4,848,227	425,735	328,457	754,196	14,842,560
1918	909,403	400,230	1,309,633	3,739,688	1,207,872	4,947,560	426,108	276,760	702,868	15,796,160
1919	809,461	318,635	1,128,096	3,081,945	1,208,779	4,290,724	607,853	253,607	861,460	16,502,760
1920	838,106	428,955	1,267,061	2,458,978	1,555,424	4,014,402	563,554	235,878	799,432	19,000,000
1921	841,244	515,085	1,356,329	3,476,277	1,793,966	5,270.243	723,599	292,438	1,016,037	21,000,000
1922	1,070,067	707,948	1,778,015	3,822,840	1,893,868	5,716,708	741,064	193,537	934,601	21,000,000
1923–24	1,488,809	782,332	2,271.141	4,264,565	1,918,956	6,183,521	943,629	402,032	1,345,661	21,800,000
1924–25	1,677,471	751,495	2,428,966	4,590,505	1,865,241	6,455,746	692,416	459,599	1,152,015	21,840,000
1925–26	1,641,946	672,810	2,314,756	3,528,412	1,594,580	5,122,992	656,519	180,219	836 738	18,640,000
1926–27	1,271,810	674,513	1,946,323	4,268,936	1,763.661	6,032,597	739,812	231,832	971,644	21,009,000
1927–28	1,329,563	1,450,741	2,780,304	4.455,310	2,059,332	6,514,642	721,664	307,680	1,029,344	22,556,000

(*) In addition, Preserved Cream, 1925–26—245,259 lbs.; 1926–27—130,257 lbs.; 1927–28, 174,580 lbs.

LIVESTOCK.

AVERAGE Market Value of Chief Descriptions of Livestock, 1927.

Class of Stock.	Market Price.		
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Fair Average.
Horses—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Extra Heavy Draught	53 0 0	27 6 0	38 0 0
Medium Draught	41 0 0	22 0 0	29 0 0
Light Draught	35 0 0	17 0 0	25 0 0
Saddle and Harness	23 0 0	7 0 0	9 0 0
Fat Cattle—			
Bullocks—			
Extra Prime	29 0 0	20 0 0	22 0 0
Prime	24 0 0	17 0 0	19 0 0
Medium	18 0 0	13 0 0	15 0 0
Cows—			
Prime	18 0 0	12 0 0	14 0 0
Other	12 0 0	7 0 0	9 0 0
Steers—			
Prime	22 0 0	14 0 0	16 10 0
Other	15 0 0	10 0 0	12 0 0
Heifers	14 0 0	7 0 0	10 0 0
Calves	3 15 0	2 10 0	3 0 0
Working Bullocks—			
Best ..... Per pair	39 0 0	25 0 0	31 0 0
Other ..... "	25 0 0	17 0 0	20 0 0
Dairy Cattle—			
Milkers—			
Best	20 0 0	13 0 0	15 0 0
Good	14 0 0	10 0 0	11 0 0
Inferior	8 0 0	4 0 0	6 0 0
Springers—			
Best	14 0 0	9 0 0	11 0 0
Other	9 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0
Dry—			
Best	6 0 0	3 0 0	4 10 0
Other	4 10 0	2 10 0	3 5 0
Fat Sheep—			
Crossbred Wethers—			
Extra Prime	2 1 0	1 8 0	1 11 6
Prime	1 18 0	1 4 0	1 7 6
Good	1 8 0	1 0 0	1 3 6
Crossbred Ewes—			
Extra Prime	1 15 0	1 2 0	1 6 0
Prime	1 9 0	0 19 0	1 2 0
Good	1 6 0	0 17 0	1 0 0
Merino Wethers—			
Extra Prime	1 12 0	1 1 0	1 5 0
Prime	1 7 0	0 19 0	1 2 0
Good	1 4 0	0 15 0	0 18 0
Merino Ewes—			
Extra Prime	1 5 0	0 18 0	1 0 0
Prime	1 2 0	0 12 0	0 17 0
Good	0 19 0	0 10 0	0 16 0
Lambs—			
Extra Prime	2 0 0	1 9 0	1 11 6
Prime	1 14 0	1 5 0	1 7 0
Good	1 10 0	1 2 0	1 4 0
Pigs—			
Backfatters	6 5 0	4 5 0	5 5 0
Baconers	4 10 0	3 5 0	4 0 0
Porkers	3 5 0	2 2 0	2 10 0
Slips and Suckers	1 6 0	0 11 0	0 17 0

GREASY WOOL.

AVERAGE Price per Pound at Hobart Sales, January, 1928.

	Maximum.	Minimum.	Fair Average.
	d.	d.	d.
Merino, Extra Super	41	33	36¼
" Superior	34	30	31½
" Good	31	27	29
" Average	28	24	25½
" Wasty and Inferior	24	20	21½
" Extra Super Lambs	22	20	20¾
" Super Lambs	21	19	19½
" Good Lambs	19	16	17¾
" Average Lambs	17	14	15¼
" Inferior Lambs	16	14	15
Comebacks, Extra Super	33	29	30¼
" Super	30	26	28
Crossbreds, Fine	30	25	26½
" Medium	25	22	22½
Coarse Crossbreds and Lincolns	19	14	17
Crossbreds, Extra Super Lambs	28½	24	26
" Superior Fine Lambs	26	22	23¾
" Good Lambs	24	14	21
Lincoln, Coarse Lambs	18	15	16½

Estimated average price of all wool—22½d.

DECENNIAL RETURN OF THE AVERAGE MARKET VALUE OF CHIEF DESCRIPTIONS OF LIVESTOCK.

	1927.			1926.			1925.			1924.			1923.			1922.			1921.			1920.			1919.			1918.		
Horses—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Extra Heavy Draught.	38	0	0	40	0	0	37	0	0	43	0	0	45	0	0	38	0	0	35	0	0	45	0	0	45	0	0	38	0	0
Medium Draught	29	0	0	33	0	0	29	0	0	35	0	0	39	0	0	34	0	0	35	0	0	30	0	0	35	0	0	33	0	0
Light Draught	25	0	0	27	10	0	23	0	0	24	10	0	31	10	0	28	0	0	25	0	0	25	0	0	25	0	0	27	0	0
Saddle and Harness	9	0	0	15	0	0	15	0	0	17	10	0	15	0	0	18	0	0	17	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	13	0	0
Carriage	9	0	0	15	0	0	15	0	0	17	10	0	20	0	0	18	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	...			14	0	0
Fat Cattle—																														
Bullocks—																														
Extra Prime	22	0	0	20	0	0	19	10	0	21	0	0	27	0	0	21	0	0	20	0	0	23	0	0	35	0	0	20	0	0
Prime	19	0	0	18	0	0	17	5	0	17	0	0	22	10	0	19	0	0	17	10	0	20	0	0	27	10	0	16	10	0
Medium	15	0	0	16	0	0	12	15	0	14	0	0	18	15	0	15	0	0	16	10	0	18	0	0	22	10	0	13	0	0
Light	11	0	0	12	0	0	11	10	0	13	0	0	15	0	0	14	0	0	16	0	0	16	10	0	17	0	0	10	10	0
Cows—																														
Prime	14	0	0	13	0	0	12	0	0	15	0	0	14	15	0	15	0	0	16	0	0	18	0	0	27	10	0	14	10	0
Other	9	0	0	9	0	0	9	0	0	8	0	0	10	0	0	10	0	0	10	0	0	12	0	0	12	0	0	9	0	0
Steers and Heifers—																														
Prime Steers	16	10	0	15	0	0	16	0	0	17	0	0	16	10	0	16	0	0	16	0	0	16	0	0	18	0	0	16	0	0
„ Heifers	12	0	0	12	10	0	9	0	0	9	10	0	14	10	0	14	0	0	10	0	0	12	0	0	14	0	0	9	0	0
Other	10	0	0	10	0	0	9	0	0	9	10	0	14	10	0	14	0	0	15	0	0	...			...			...		
Calves—																														
Prime	3	0	0	2	5	0	2	14	6	3	10	0	3	0	0	2	0	0	2	15	0	4	10	0	3	10	0	5	0	0
Other	1	10	0	1	18	0	2	8	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	5	0	1	7	6	2	5	0
Working Bullocks—																														
Best (per pair)	31	10	0	28	0	0	27	10	0	31	0	0	36	0	0	32	10	0	35	0	0	30	0	0	37	10	0	30	0	0
Other „	20	0	0	19	0	0	19	5	0	19	0	0	22	10	0	23	0	0	25	0	0	23	10	0	20	0	0	18	10	0
Dairy Cattle—																														
Milkers—																														
Best	15	0	0	14	0	0	14	5	0	17	0	0	18	15	0	20	0	0	22	10	0	25	0	0	25	0	0	18	0	0
Good	11	0	0	11	0	0	12	0	0	14	0	0	16	0	0	16	0	0	16	0	0	17	10	0	17	10	0	13	0	0
Inferior	6	0	0	6	0	0	5	15	0	6	10	0	8	0	0	10	0	0	11	0	0	10	0	0	9	0	0	7	0	0
Springers—																														
Best	11	0	0	10	0	0	10	10	0	11	0	0	12	10	0	12	10	0	14	0	0	15	0	0	17	10	0	15	0	0
Other	7	0	0	6	0	0	6	15	0	5	10	0	9	0	0	9	0	0	11	0	0	8	0	0	7	10	0	8	10	0
Dry—																														
Best	4	10	0	5	0	0	4	15	0	6	10	0	6	5	0	6	0	0	8	10	0	8	10	0	7	0	0	6	10	0
Other	3	5	0	3	10	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	7	10	0	6	10	0	4	10	0	3	10	0
Store Cattle	2	5	0	3	0	0	4	10	0	5	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	10	0	4	15	0	6	10	0	...		
Fat Sheep—																														
Crossbred Wethers—																														
Extra Prime	1	11	6	1	9	0	1	15	0	2	5	0	2	7	6	1	11	0	1	5	0	1	13	0	2	5	0	1	14	0
Prime	1	7	6	1	6	6	1	11	6	1	18	6	2	0	0	1	7	0	1	2	6	1	7	6	2	2	6	1	8	0
Good	1	3	6	1	5	0	1	7	0	1	11	6	2	2	0	1	4	6	0	17	0	1	2	6	1	12	6	1	4	0
Crossbred Ewes—																														
Extra Prime	1	6	0	1	3	0	1	6	6	1	19	0	2	2	6	1	7	0	1	2	6	1	7	6	2	2	6	1	10	0
Prime	1	2	0	1	2	0	1	4	0	1	13	6	2	0	6	1	4	0	0	17	6	1	5	0	1	17	6	1	3	0
Good	1	0	0	0	19	6	0	17	6	1	9	0	1	16	0	1	1	0	0	14	0	1	0	0	1	10	0	0	18	0
Merino Wethers—																														
Extra Prime	1	5	0	1	2	0	1	5	0	1	15	0	1	14	0	1	6	6	1	2	0	1	6	0	1	15	0	1	7	6
Prime	1	2	0	1	0	0	1	3	0	1	12	0	1	11	0	0	19	6	0	17	0	1	2	6	1	10	0	1	2	6
Good	0	18	0	0	16	0	1	2	0	1	6	6	1	7	0	0	19	0	0	14	6	0	18	0	1	5	0	0	17	6
Merino Ewes—																														
Extra Prime	1	0	0	0	18	0	1	3	6	1	6	0	1	11	6	1	0	0	0	16	6	1	2	0	1	5	0	1	4	6
Prime	0	17	0	0	16	0	1	1	6	1	3	6	1	6	0	0	17	6	0	15	0	0	17	0	1	2	6	0	18	6
Good	0	16	0	0	13	6	0	18	6	1	0	0	1	4	6	0	15	0	0	12	6	0	14	0	0	16	0	0	14	0
Lambs—																														
Extra Prime	1	11	6	1	12	0	1	12	9	2	1	0	2	4	6	1	8	0	1	5	0	1	8	0	1	12	6	1	12	0
Prime	1	7	0	1	6	6	1	8	6	1	17	0	2	1	6	1	1	0	0	18	0	1	4	0	1	7	6	1	5	0
Good	1	4	0	1	3	0	1	6	0	1	11	0	1	13	0	0	18	0	0	15	6	1	2	0	1	2	6	1	0	0
Pigs—																														
Backfatter	5	5	0	5	17	6	4	15	0	6	2	0	6	6	0	5	5	0	6	0	0	6	0	0	4	5	0	5	0	0
Baconers	4	0	0	4	10	0	3	6	0	4	5	0	5	10	0	2	17	6	4	10	0	5	0	0	3	7	0	3	10	0
Porkers	2	10	0	2	5	0	2	0	0	2	15	0	3	7	6	1	8	0	2	10	0	2	10	0	2	5	0	1	13	0
Stores	1	5	0	0	15	0	0	17	0	1	4	6	1	1	0	0	18	0	2	0	0	1	7	6	1	4	6	0	17	0
Slips and Suckers	0	17	0	...			0	10	0	0	11	6	1	1	0	0	14	0	1	10	0	1	0	0	1	2	6	0	11	6

*DECENNIAL RETURN OF THE AVERAGE MARKET VALUE OF CHIEF KINDS OF GREASY WOOL.

	1927.	1926.	1925.	1924	1923.	1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.	1918.
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Merino, Extra super	36¼	37½	32⅞	45¼	39	33	32	38	28¼	27⅓
„ Superior	31½	33⅜	29⅜	41⅜	36	30	28	30	27¼	25½
„ Good	29	28½	26⅞	37¼	31·5	24½	24	24	25	23
„ Average	25½	24½	23½	34	29·5	21⅜	19½	20	20½	20½
„ Wasty and inferior	21½	18½	17⅜	30	26	19⅜	16	12	15½	18
„ Lambs, Extra Super	20⅜	18	15½	...	...	14	...	...	...	...
„ „ Superior	19½	17	14	28	...	9½	....	...	...	15½
„ „ Good	17¾	14½	10	19½	19	8½	2¾	...	9½	8
„ „ Average	15¼	10½	8	17½	12·5	4½	...	6	7½	6½
„ „ Inferior	15	7	4¾	11½	9	3¼	...	1½	6	4½
Comebacks, Extra Super	30⅜	27¾	28	43	36·6	31½	23	21	29	27
„ Super	28	25	26⅓	40	34·5	28¼	21	16	27½	25
Crossbreds, Fine	26½	22½	23⅜	38	33	24½	17	12	26¾	26½
„ Medium	22½	17½	19⅞	33	29·5	20	13	8	22	23
„ Coarse	17	10¼	13	20	16	8½	5	2½	16	19
„ Extra Super Lambs.	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
„ Lambs, Super	23⅜	16⅜	14½	23	21·5	16	9	...	17¾	16
„ „ Good	18½	13¾	10⅜	20½	20·5	12⅜	6½	6½	12½	12½
„ „ Coarse	16½	10¼	8½	14¼	...	9½	...	...	10½	12⅓

* These figures are for January of the following year.
Estimated average price for all wool, 1928, 22½d.

ACREAGE.

TOTAL Area in Cultivation, also the Number of Acres under each Description of Crop, in each Municipality in the Whole State during the Year ended March, 1928.

Municipality.	Area.	Agriculture—Area.																					
		Grain, Pulse, &c.										Root Crops.				Forage.		Horticulture.				Other Crops.	Total Land in Crop.
		Wheat.	Barley.		White Oats.	Algerian and Other.	Linseed Flax.	Pease.		Beans (Horse.)	Grass Seed.	Potatoes.	Turnips.	Carrots.	Mangel Wurzel.	Green Fodder, including Maize.	Hay.	Market Gardens. (*b*)	Hop Vines.		Orchards and Fruit Gardens.		
			English.	Cape				Blue.	Grey and Other.										Bearing.	Non-bearing.			
		ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.
Hobart*	18,380	...	...	...	...	10	...	3	...	...	...	13	...	...	2	57	3	24	...	...	515	...	627
Launceston	5700	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	35	...	...	1	...	...	1	63	37	44	...	...	89	...	274
Glenorchy	28,350	...	...	...	3	...	...	5	17	2	...	41	33	...	4	156	359	142	...	...	1220	8	1990
Total Urban Division	52,430	...	...	...	3	14	...	8	52	2	...	55	33	...	7	276	399	210	...	...	1824	8	2891
Circular Head	1,164,000	369	27	15	131	358	...	563	110	4	7	4292	1972	41	18	306	2883	...	...	...	17	...	11,113
Deloraine	797,000	1797	717	29	3168	1741	25	1114	1822	149	253	1703	950	2	11	685	5142	...	...	...	18	20	19,346
Devonport	27,300	546	17	9	313	357	...	360	349	8	...	1294	48	1	30	162	2005	21	...	...	500	1	6021
Emu Bay	133,500	123	...	...	335	611	...	161	85	...	...	6375	49	...	13	659	2412	32	...	...	15	...	10,870
Kentish	289,000	906	30	10	2973	765	...	1716	641	94	...	4184	66	...	7	32	2937	12	...	...	173	10	14,556
King Island	272,000	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	3	...	...	19	7	2	9	102	313	1	...	...	1	...	463
Latrobe	134,700	2182	83	3	335	1095	...	1374	1004	36	20	1935	16	...	94	428	4536	1	...	...	728	...	13,870
Leven	120,000	706	...	10	917	1345	...	1408	260	...	6	5097	21	1	30	265	3938	...	...	...	33	15	14,052
Penguin	121,000	162	..	...	205	861	...	220	160	...	...	4918	3	...	...	65	2191	...	...	...	19	21	8825
Table Cape	216,000	715	7	...	325	642	...	531	258	...	1	6766	144	...	13	2044	4130	8	...	...	100	...	15,684
Total N.W. Division	3,274,500	7506	881	76	8702	7781	25	7447	4692	291	287	36,583	3276	47	225	4748	30,487	75	...	...	1604	67	114,800
Beaconsfield	137,000	27	3	...	354	193	...	42	268	84	10	539	52	1	12	122	2023	31	...	..	4940	...	8701
Fingal	660,100	551	17	21	153	242	2	122	21	3	...	218	24	...	11	101	1325	14	...	...	25	...	2850
Flinders Island	521,000	...	...	...	...	56	...	1	...	...	56	7	...	...	...	468	615	...	...	...	...	1	1202
George Town	153,000	41	17	10	114	56	3	29	118	11	...	91	14	1	2	276	438	...	...	...	440	...	1661
Lilydale	170,800	77	12	...	318	204	7	57	275	83	20	569	45	2	14	239	1712	3	...	...	965	17	4619
Portland	389,000	1	...	...	...	5	...	1	1	...	...	57	12	...	...	18	355	2	...	...	54	...	506
Ringarooma	419,100	54	6	6	66	40	2	161	113	6	1	1049	161	25	4	286	1578	2	...	...	15	10	3585
Scottsdale	286,100	357	26	2	323	159	...	198	152	2	9	647	24	29	23	718	1782	...	...	...	177	...	4628
Total N.E. Division	2,736,100	1108	81	39	1328	955	14	611	948	189	96	3177	332	58	66	2228	9826	52	...	...	6616	28	27,752
Evandale	251,500	1003	511	41	707	1547	25	218	1087	...	16	55	6	...	5	237	2877	3	...	...	9	16	8363
Longford	254,720	6261	573	48	1780	4516	33	223	2349	...	22	148	4	1	12	866	7249	3	...	...	71	...	24,159
St. Leonards	217,800	376	124	...	170	272	...	71	538	...	11	108	9	...	42	212	1884	24	...	...	186	8	4035
Westbury	230,500	4272	2048	58	3116	2114	18	264	3588	3	7	594	39	1	17	1461	8663	1	...	...	68	...	26,332
Total N. Mid. Div.	954,520	11,912	3256	147	5773	8449	76	776	7562	3	56	905	58	2	76	2776	20,673	31	...	...	334	24	62,889

ACREAGE—*continued.*

TOTAL Area in Cultivation, also the Number of Acres under each Description of Crop, in each Municipality in the Whole State during the Year ended March, 1928—continued.

Municipality.	Area.	Agriculture—Area.																					
		Grain, Pulse, &c.										Root Crops.				Forage.		Horticulture.					
		Wheat.	Barley.		White Oats.	Algerian and Other.	Linseed Flax.	Pease.		Beans (Horse.)	Grass Seed.	Potatoes.	Turnips.	Carrots.	Mangel Wurzel.	Green Fodder, including Maize.	Hay.	Market Gardens. (*b*)	Hop Vines.		Orchards and Fruit Gardens.	Other Crops.	Total Land in Crop.
			English.	Cape				Blue.	Grey and Other.										Bearing.	Non-bearing.			
	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.	ac.
Bothwell	634,000	259	4	...	94	268	...	...	1	...	...	31	4	5	1	768	675	1	...	...	5	...	2116
Campbell Town	348,000	611	9	29	30	422	...	...	7	...	...	31	1	1	15	944	936	1	...	...	18	2	3057
Hamilton	1,425,600	341	31	2	27	143	...	...	91	...	...	113	31	...	4	828	965	1	214	...	312	8	3111
Oatlands	376,000	336	29	1	3625	352	...	74	231	...	23	1248	382	1	7	2501	2618	1	...	...	3	10	11,442
Ross	312,000	163	7	35	12	88	...	...	...	...	...	10	1	1	2	591	266	4	...	...	5	...	1185
Total Mid. Division	3,095,600	1710	80	67	3788	1273	...	74	330	...	23	1433	419	8	29	5632	5460	8	214	...	343	20	20,911
Brighton	114,650	1639	70	16	266	697	...	14	74	...	...	196	14	...	9	1450	4414	...	...	...	1573	6	10,438
Clarence	70,500	736	1	32	38	355	...	7	32	...	...	96	1	1	13	861	1763	170	8	...	1919	5	6038
Glamorgan	394,000	255	14	4	4	124	...	1	19	1	...	36	26	...	11	762	646	...	...	...	98	...	2001
Green Ponds	110,500	1239	1	39	266	576	...	21	72	...	1	90	1	1	5	150	1103	1	...	...	490	11	4067
Richmond	144,000	1090	36	14	116	929	...	36	310	1	15	612	17	...	5	2077	4110	...	...	6	399	7	9780
Sorell	188,800	1454	94	146	319	745	...	53	138	...	14	96	51	1	18	1565	3362	1	...	...	552	...	8609
Spring Bay	283,000	16	1	3	25	39	...	1	28	...	4	42	10	1	8	209	445	1	...	...	448	3	1284
Total S.E. Division.	1,305,450	6429	217	254	1034	3465	...	133	673	2	34	1168	120	4	69	7074	15,843	173	8	6	5479	32	42,217
Bruny	90,000	1	...	...	...	15	...	...	10	1	...	28	3	1	1	30	72	2	...	...	491	...	655
Esperance	1,431,000	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	19	...	...	70	18	...	1	36	24	...	...	...	1766	...	1936
Huon	196.000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	81	10	...	3	21	37	...	14	...	4505	...	4671
Kingborough	91,000	2	1	1	...	5	...	7	11	...	...	280	28	9	10	193	261	157	30	...	3637	...	4632
New Norfolk	335,400	776	...	...	193	165	...	14	134	...	...	330	22	1	23	230	2313	13	1004	22	2756	140	8136
Port Cygnet	61,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	9	...	...	128	9	1	4	126	152	2	...	5	3691	...	4130
Tasman	124,000	4	1	...	...	5	...	...	48	1	...	118	12	...	5	39	221	...	...	...	788	...	1242
Total S. Division	2,328,400	783	2	1	195	190	...	24	231	2	...	1035	102	12	47	675	3080	174	1048	27	17,634	140	25,402
Gormanston	713,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Queenstown	38,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Strahan	940,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Waratah	571,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	9
Zeehan	769,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	4
Total W. Division	3,031,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	9	...	...	...	...	13
Grand Total	16,778,000	29,448	4517	584	20,823	22,127	115	9073	14,488	489	496	44,359	4340	131	519	23,409	85,769	732	1270	33	33,834	319	296,875

* Hobart area includes New Town (5132 acres) and Queenborough (9900 acres).

(*b*) Value of market garden products, £23,459.

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION.

PRODUCE of each Description of Crop in each Municipality, and in the Whole State, during the Year ending March, 1928.

Municipality.	Grain, Pulse, &c.										Root Crops.				Forage.					
	Wheat.	Barley.		Oats.		Linseed Flax.	Pease.		Beans (Horse).	Grass Seed.	Potatoes.	Turnips.	Carrots.	Mangel Wurzel.	Green Fodder, including Maize.	Hay.		Hops.	Straw.	Other Crops.
		English.	Cape.	White.	Algerian and other.		Blue	Grey and other.								Oaten.	Other.			
	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	tons.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	lbs.	tons.	tons.
Hobart	...	...	...	...	300	...	200		...	...	33	...	...	15	220	4	...	...	...	...
Launceston	...	...	...	...	60	...	...	1520	...	...	2	...	...	4	42	36	...	...	...	...
Glenorchy	...	...	...	50	...	...	160	434	30	...	98	112	...	50	49	411	78	...	6	20
Total Urban Div.	...	...	...	50	360	...	360	1954	30	...	133	112	...	69	311	451	78	...	6	20
Circular Head	9570	552	240	4594	11,997	...	12,672	2281	80	95	16,420	14,554	736	392	F O	4452	7	...	362	...
Deloraine	45,449	20,872	885	95,944	52,876	26	26,882	49,053	3311	5623	5240	4074	10	113	621	7271	195	...	2668	400
Devonport	19,326	581	300	12,800	11,811	...	9064	7401	250	...	3717	241	4	342	104	3573	59	...	811	3
Emu Bay	3155	...	...	12,265	22,270	...	3590	1775	...	...	21,344	410	...	275	1154	3841	55	...	730	...
Kentish	21,165	1109	240	100,772	27,838	...	37,692	15,537	1659	...	13,753	700	...	57	28	4324	33	...	4773	3
King Island	...	...	...	...	60	...	...	60	...	...	81	46	F	31	F O	209	158	...	...	...
Latrobe	76,421	2580	200	13,870	41,169	...	33,158	21,699	1066	150	6121	293	...	1228	F O	8797	17	...	2603	...
Leven	22,216	...	150	27,987	39,889	...	34,114	4777	...	40	14,326	76	25	551	164	5962	100	...	2159	16
Penguin	4489	...	...	7580	30,905	...	4468	3468	...	...	11,289	9	...	...	24	3401	9	...	488	...
Table Cape	26,590	348	...	12,950	21,416	...	11,104	5120	...	20	19,527	719	...	130	131	6432	110	...	1102	...
Total N. W. Division	228,381	26,042	2015	288,762	260,231	26	172,744	111,171	6366	5928	111,818	21,122	775	3119	2226	48,262	743	...	15,696	422
Beaconsfield	792	60	...	8155	5078	...	842	4830	2688	472	1696	426	8	285	425	2743	42	...	172	...
Fingal	17,334	350	635	4675	7212	3	2373	736	40	...	765	209	...	168	44	1601	175	...	466	...
Flinders Island	...	...	...	...	840	...	18	...	...	575	18	...	...	...	F O	627	143	...	110	1
George Town	962	495	251	3640	1816	3	565	2797	90	...	293	73	4	35	F O	539	2	...	57	...
Lilydale	1666	220	...	8659	6448	10	1305	5462	2002	162	1713	292	6	280	55	2420	1	...	195	...
Portland	15	...	...	...	100	...	10	25	...	...	230	156	...	...	6	408	6	...	...	...
Ringarooma	1486	60	220	2778	790	4	4554	2379	90	10	4583	1093	360	60	F O	2660	212	...	168	80
Scottsdale	9398	484	80	10,591	4985	...	4142	2813	25	124	1933	176	357	385	F O	2461	222	...	257	...
Total N.E. Division	31,653	1669	1186	38,498	27,269	20	13,809	19,042	4935	1343	11,231	2425	735	1213	530	13,459	803	...	1425	81
Evandale	27,775	15,528	451	25,345	60,823	34	6124	26,880	...	260	129	39	...	88	110	4909	184	...	1013	16
Longford	132,171	16,943	1425	52,076	145,747	37	3937	41,798	...	247	448	45	8	117	78	9392	91	...	3703	...
St. Leonards	11,106	4160	...	5033	9717	...	1525	10,503	...	90	472	87	...	587	37	2503	69	...	255	2
Westbury	116,166	57,665	1487	93,640	74,946	19	2869	87,259	62	130	2113	259	10	214	41	12,355	31	...	5011	...
Total N. Mid. Div.	287,218	94,296	3363	176,094	291,233	90	15,455	166,440	62	727	3162	430	18	1006	266	29,159	375	...	9982	18

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION—*continued.*

PRODUCE of each Description of Crop in each Municipality, and in the Whole State, during the Year ending March, 1928—continued.

Municipality.	Grain, Pulse, &c.										Root Crops.				Forage.						
	Wheat.	Barley.		Oats.		Linseed Flax.	Pease.		Beans (Horse).	Grass Seed.	Potatoes.	Turnips.	Carrots.	Mangel Wurzel.	Green Fodder, including Maize.	Hay.		Hops.	Straw.	Other Crops.
		English.	Cape.	White.	Algerian and other.		Blue	Grey and other.								Oaten.	Other.			
	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	tons.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	lbs.	tons.	tons.
Bothwell	6755	100	...	4320	8804	...	...	20	...	...	87	20	43	10	F O	858	38	...	62	...
Campbell Town	21,590	285	410	556	10,635	...	...	160	...	...	91	7	3	264	F O	921	100	...	203	9
Hamilton	9917	1245	40	870	4979	...	...	2602	...	...	328	92	...	22	33	1267	30	320,466	415	5
Oatlands	6810	670	18	141,283	10,533	...	1307	5864	...	511	4463	1712	4	42	59	3030	5	...	766	1
Ross	4710	210	430	250	3370	...	...	...	...	...	51	10	8	48	F O	329	30	...	41	...
Total Mid. Division	49,782	2510	898	147,279	38,321	...	1307	8646	...	511	5020	1841	58	386	92	6405	203	320,466	1487	15
Brighton	39,042	1010	745	7405	18,797	...	315	1424	...	...	612	35	...	117	F O	6147	309	...	914	3
Clarence	18,340	45	760	1300	11,859	...	115	695	...	...	192	2	6	184	F O	2088	9	11,000	635	27
Glamorgan	7260	220	90	81	4143	...	25	317	38	...	109	447	...	222	18	936	30	...	72	...
Green Ponds	35,833	35	1530	6080	16,469	...	476	1686	...	15	240	10	15	78	F O	1463	65	...	914	5
Richmond	27,681	1211	326	3124	25,259	...	676	5484	18	280	2370	66	...	38	35	5428	...	...	552	14
Sorell	22,065	1030	2267	5770	15,847	...	998	2072	...	208	347	509	10	377	574	3423	12	...	706	...
Spring Bay	360	30	60	650	885	...	15	646	...	99	162	60	8	98	F O	531	35	...	10	1
Total S.E. Division	150,581	3581	5778	24,410	93,259	...	2620	12,324	56	602	4032	1129	39	1114	627	20,016	460	11,000	3803	50
Bruny	20	...	...	...	300	...	...	290	30	...	99	14	5	9	F O	122	...	...	...	...
Esperance	...	...	...	48	...	...	...	480	...	...	290	144	...	25	115	23	14	...	...	...
Huon	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	314	68	...	60	61	86	...	15,000	...	..
Kingborough	60	30	14	...	100	...	229	287	...	...	820	223	72	87	74	544	17	46,050	5	...
New Norfolk	25,407	...	...	7050	6410	...	350	2413	..	...	1274	99	9	314	394	3020	108	2,074,839	617	...
Port Cygnet	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	60	...	...	312	54	3	12	F O	196	29	...	30	...
Tasman	40	25	...	...	150	...	...	645	40	...	323	62	...	52	F O	346	3	...	...	...
Total S. Division	25,527	55	14	7098	6960	...	589	4175	70	...	3432	664	89	559	644	4337	171	2,135,889	652	...
Gormanston	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Queenstown	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Strahan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Waratah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
Zeehan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total W. Division	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
Total Tasmania	773,142	128,153	13,254	682,191	717,633	136	206,884	323,752	11,519	9111	138,837	27,723	1714	7466	4696	122,089	2835	2,467,355	33,051	606

F O—Fed off. F—Failed.

PRODUCTIVITY.

YIELDS per Acre of the Principal Crops and Yields per Tree for Fruit for Season 1927-1928.

Municipality.	Grain, Pulse, &c.										Root Crops.				Forage.			Fruit.	
	Wheat.	Barley, English.	Barley, Cape.	White Oats.	Algerian & other	Linseed (Flax).	Pease, Blue.	Pease, Grey, and others.	Beans.	Grasses (Seed).	Potatoes.	Turnips.	Carrots.	Mangel Wurzel.	Green Fodder.	Hay.	Hops.	Apples (per tree of over 7 years).	Apricots (per tree).
	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	tons.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons	tons.	tons.	lbs.	bush.	bush.
Hobart	...	...	...	...	30·0	...	...	...	...	...	2·5	...	...	...	3·9	...	...	·92	·83
Launceston	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·7	1·0	...	1·32	...
Glenorchy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25·5	...	...	2·4	3·4	...	...	0·9	1·4	...	·69	·66
Average Urban Div.	...	...	...	16·7	25·7	...	45·0	37·6	15·0	...	2·4	3·4	...	9·9	1·1	1·3	...	·81	·68
Circular Head	25·9	20·4	16·0	35·1	33·5	...	22·5	20·7	...	...	3·8	7·4	17·9	21·8	*F O	1·5	...	·59	...
Deloraine	25·3	29·1	30·5	30·3	30·4	1·0	24·1	26·9	22·2	22·2	3·1	4·3	...	10·3	0·9	1·5	...	·62	...
Devonport	35·4	34·2	...	40·9	33·1	...	25·2	21·2	...	...	2·9	5·0	...	11·4	0·6	1·8	...	1·25	...
Emu Bay	25·6	...	...	36·6	36·4	...	22·3	20·9	...	...	3·3	8·4	...	21·2	1·8	1·6	...	·71	...
Kentish	23·4	37·0	24·0	33·9	36·4	...	21·9	24·2	17·6	...	3·2	10·6	...	...	0·9	1·5	...	·98	...
King Island	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·3	...	...	...	F O	1·2	...	...	...
Latrobe	35·0	31·1	...	41·4	37·6	...	24·1	21·6	29·6	7·5	3·2	18·3	...	13·1	F O	1·9	...	·97	...
Leven	31·5	...	15·0	30·5	29·7	...	24·2	18·4	...	...	2·8	3·6	...	17·7	0·6	1·5	...	·67	...
Penguin	27·7	...	...	37·0	35·9	...	20·3	21·7	...	...	2·3	...	...	...	0·4	1·6	...	·27	...
Table Cape	37·2	...	...	39·9	33·4	...	20·9	19·8	...	...	2·9	5·0	...	10·0	0·06	1·6	...	·84	...
Average N.W. Div.	30·4	29·6	26·5	33·2	33·4	1·0	23·2	23·7	21·9	20·7	3·1	6·4	16·5	13·9	0·5	1·6	...	1·03	1·14
Beaconsfield	29·3	...	...	23·0	26·3	...	20·5	18·0	32·0	47·2	3·1	8·2	...	23·7	3·5	1·4	...	1·02	·93
Fingal	31·5	20·6	30·4	30·6	29·8	...	19·5	35·0	...	...	3·5	8·7	...	15·3	0·4	1·3	...	·66	...
Flinders Island	...	...	...	...	15·0	...	...	...	...	10·2	...	...	...	...	F O	1·3	...	...	...
George Town	23·5	29·1	25·1	31·9	32·4	...	19·5	23·7	8·1	...	3·2	5·2	...	...	F O	1·2	...	1·26	...
Lilydale	21·6	18·3	...	27·2	...	...	22·9	19·8	24·1	8·1	3·0	6·5	...	20·0	0·2	1·4	...	1·07	...
Portland	...	...	...	...	31·6	...	...	...	...	...	4·0	13·0	...	...	0·3	1·2	...	·59	·71
Ringarooma	27·6	...	...	42·1	19·7	...	28·3	21·1	...	...	4·4	6·8	14·4	...	F O	1·8	...	·77	...
Scottsdale	26·3	18·6	..	32·8	31·4	...	20·9	18·5	...	...	2·9	7·3	12·3	16·7	F O	1·5	...	1·75	...
Average N.E. Div.	28·6	20·6	30·4	29·0	28·6	1·1	22·6	20·1	26·1	14·0	3·5	7·3	12·7	18·4	0·2	1·5	...	1·07	·83
Evandale	27·7	30·4	11·0	35·8	39·3	1·4	28·1	24·7	...	16·2	2·3	...	...	...	0·5	1·8	...	...	...
Longford	21·1	29·6	29·7	29·3	32·3	1·1	17·7	17·8	...	11·3	3·0	...	...	9·7	0·09	1·3	...	·93	...
St. Leonards	29·5	33·5	...	29·6	35·7	...	21·5	19·5	...	8·2	4·4	...	...	14·0	0·2	1·4	...	1·73	..
Westbury	27·2	28·2	25·6	30·1	35·5	1·0	14·7	24·3	...	...	3·5	6·6	...	12·6	0·03	1·4	...	1·13	...
Average N.Mid. Div.	24·1	29·0	22·9	30·5	34·5	1·2	19·9	22·0	20·6	13·0	3·5	7·4	9·0	13·2	0·1	1·4	...	1·39	·54
Bothwell	26·1	...	...	46·0	32·9	...	...	...	...	...	2·8	...	...	...	F O	1·3	...	...	...
Campbell Town	35·3	...	14·1	18·5	25·2	...	...	...	...	...	2·9	...	...	17·6	F O	1·1	...	...	...
Hamilton	29·1	40·1	...	32·6	34·8	...	...	28·6	...	...	2·9	3·0	...	...	0·04	1·3	1497	·74	...
Oatlands	20·3	23·1	...	38·9	29·9	...	17·7	25·4	...	22·2	3·6	4·5	...	...	0·02	1·2	...	...	...
Ross	28·9	...	12·3	20·8	38·3	...	...	...	...	...	5·1	...	...	...	F O	1·3	...	...	...
Average Mid. Div.	29·1	31·4	13·4	38·9	30·1	...	17·7	26·2	...	22·2	3·5	4·4	7·2	13·3	0·02	1·2	1497	·79	·49
Brighton	23·8	14·4	46·6	27·8	26·9	...	22·5	19·2	...	...	3·1	2·5	...	...	F O	1·5	..	·87	·80
Clarence	24·9	...	23·7	34·2	33·4	...	...	21·7	...	...	2·0	...	...	14·1	F O	1·2	1375	1·26	·90
Glamorgan	28·5	15·7	...	...	33·4	...	...	16·7	...	...	3·0	1·7	...	20·2	0·02	1·5	...	·52	...
Green Ponds	28·9	...	39·2	22·9	28·6	...	22·7	23·4	...	...	2·7	...	...	...	F O	1·4	...	·80	·32
Richmond	25·4	33·6	23·3	26·9	27·2	...	18·8	17·7	...	18·7	3·9	3·9	...	...	0·02	1·3	...	·65	·53
Sorell	15·2	11·0	15·5	18·1	21·3	...	18·8	15·0	...	14·9	3·6	10·0	...	20·9	·4	1·0	...	·60	·51
Spring Bay	22·5	...	...	26·0	22·7	...	...	23·1	...	...	3·9	6·0	...	...	F O	1·3	...	1·98	...
Average S.E. Div.	23·4	16·5	22·7	23·6	26·9	...	19·7	18·3	28·0	17·7	3·5	9·4	9·7	16·2	0·09	1·3	1375	·96	·81
Bruny	...	...	...	...	20·0	...	...	29·0	...	...	3·5	...	...	...	F O	1·7	...	·92	·31
Esperance	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25·3	...	...	4·1	8·0	...	...	3·2	1·5	...	2·25	...
Huon	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	3·9	6·8	...	...	2·9	2·3	1071	2·07	·99
Kingborough	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26·1	...	...	2·9	8·0	...	8·7	0·4	2·1	1537	·87	·66
New Norfolk	32·7	.	...	36·5	38·8	...	25·0	17·3	...	...	3·7	4·5	...	13·6	1·7	1·4	2067	1·10	·64
Port Cygnet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·4	...	...	...	F O	1·5	...	1·38	·82
Tasman	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13·4	...	...	2·7	5·2	...	...	F O	1·6	...	1·51	...
Average S. Div.	32·6	27·5	14·0	36·4	36·6	...	24·5	18·1	35·0	...	3·3	6·5	7·4	11·9	1·0	1·5	2038	1·57	·63
Gormanston	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Queenstown	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Strahan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Waratah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Zeehan	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Average W. Div.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Average for Tasmania	26·26	28·37	22·70	32·76	32·43	1·18	22·80	22·35	23·56	18·37	3·13	6·39	13·08	14·39	0·20	1·46	1943	1·34	·75

NOTE.—When the area of an item in a municipality is less than 10 acres the yield per acre or tree is omitted.

* F O=Fed off.

ORCHARDS—NUMBER OF TREES, &c., 1928.

Municipality.	No. of Fruit-growers (one acre and over).	Apples.		Pears.		Apricots.		Plums.		Cherries.		Peaches.		Quinces.		Soft Fruits and other Products.
		Trees over 7 years.	Trees under 7 years.	Trees over 8 years.	Trees under 8 years.	Trees over 5 years.	Trees under 5 years.	Trees over 5 years.	Trees under 5 years.	Trees over 5 years.	Trees under 5 years.	Trees over 5 years.	Trees under 5 years.	Trees over 5 years.	Trees under 5 years.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Acres.
Hobart	91	59,119	900	4121	...	5208	12	2850	17	568	..	146	2	261	...	30
Launceston	21	5212	30	753	...	78	...	256	...	64	...	14	...	26	...	...
Glenorchy	140	87,167	6490	7159	405	36,711	2696	10,408	885	759	...	974	200	478	52	161
Total Urban Div.	252	151,498	7420	12,033	405	41,997	2708	13,514	902	1391	...	1134	202	765	52	191
Circular Head	15	1525	163	66	22	1	...	83	20	61	20	7	...	22	...	...
Deloraine	15	1618	50	130	...	...	...	71	10	63	...	...	...	...	...	...
Devonport	57	56,814	3170	2109	50	56	...	278	...	20	...	80	...	67	...	...
Emu Bay	4	1260	70	258	25	25	...	102	45	60	...	4	...	6	...	...
Kentish	10	16,380	39	1677	...	3	21	33	...	8	...	11	15	78	...	...
King Island	1	68	...	6	...	...	...	18	...	1	...	...	...	5	...	...
Latrobe	60	81,884	550	1860	151	16	...	75	...	5	...	30	...	...	...	...
Leven	10	2772	157	39	2	4	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...
Penguin	3	2210	...	63	...	52	...	49	...	...	...	25	...	...	...	...
Table Cape	14	10,868	765	368	...	12	60	47	...	13	50	12	16	5	12	...
Total N.W. Division	189	175,399	4964	6576	250	169	81	776	75	231	70	169	31	190	12	...
Beaconsfield	332	411,990	10,194	85,322	2352	1086	202	5674	62	609	...	796	38	313	6	2
Fingal	18	2052	158	122	15	81	...	101	...	62	...	78	...	15	...	...
Flinders Island	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
George Town	33	55,839	1080	5917	517	...	2	176	2	32	1	45	...	2	3	...
Lilydale	97	89,094	6740	4262	102	46	...	371	20	34	8	86	...	17	...	...
Portland	28	3534	75	241	419	641	12	239	55	106	17	111	...	16	...	...
Ringarooma	14	1626	50	4	...	6	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	...
Scottsdale	22	14,530	2700	494	14	76	...	229	10	40	...	71	...	13	4	...
Total N.E. Division	544	578,665	20,997	96,362	3419	1936	216	6810	149	883	26	1187	38	384	13	2
Evandale	2	427	...	3	...	12	20	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Longford	38	5684	788	690	6	287	4	268	2	100	7	64	5	85	6	...
St. Leonards	34	14,719	170	2984	...	669	...	268	...	263	...	243	...	56	...	1
Westbury	54	8076	50	210	...	23	...	157	...	118	1	27	...	35	3	3
Total N.-Mid. Div.	128	28,906	1008	3887	6	991	24	696	2	481	8	334	5	176	9	4

ORCHARDS—NUMBER OF TREES, &c.—*continued.*

Municipality.	No. of Fruit-growers (one acre and over).	Apples.		Pears.		Apricots.		Plums.		Cherries.		Peaches.		Quinces.		Soft Fruits and other Products.
		Trees over 7 years.	Trees under 7 years.	Trees over 8 years.	Trees under 8 years.	Trees over 5 years.	Trees under 5 years.	Trees over 5 years.	Trees under 5 years.	Trees over 5 years.	Trees under 5 years.	Trees over 5 years.	Trees under 5 years.	Trees over 5 years.	Trees under 5 years.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Acres.
Bothwell	5	568	...	8	...	8	...	21	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Campbell Town	19	731	133	105	5	83	1	148	8	27	...	103	14	41	...	...
Hamilton	90	23,163	375	1689	2	181	14	1384	255	226	...	1351	...	126	3	149
Oatlands	4	255	9	4	2	4	3	37	4	43	3	...	3	4	1	...
Ross	3	240	320	30	...	20	...	55	18	...	...	...	...	8	...	...
Total Mid. Division	121	24,957	837	1836	9	296	18	1645	285	298	3	1454	17	179	4	149
Brighton	131	160,345	52	8991	262	40,635	780	4167	87	363	...	212	...	478	...	42
Clarence	172	95,296	4390	28,842	4278	69,381	6035	3600	60	500	167	682	210	3056	155	4
Glamorgan	17	12,020	20	4	...	289	...	6	...	5	...	6	...	...	...	..
Green Ponds	60	63,110	297	835	120	3709	180	1527	...	92	...	...	...	24	...	17
Richmond	59	38,134	180	5943	8	3994	755	244	17	33	4	132	...	107	...	7
Sorell	93	58,223	310	3040	16	8348	340	1277	10	295	...	605	20	494	5	...
Spring Bay	10	32,450	9420	7850	1408	186	...	1328	2800	...	...	...	...	120	...	...
Total S.E. Division	542	459,578	14,669	55,505	6092	126,542	8090	12,149	2974	1288	171	1637	230	4279	160	70
Bruny	56	53,632	3210	5357	150	4768	...	1390	...	126	...	12	...	271	50	26
Esperance	290	240,550	20,827	6027	120	283	...	700	...	136	...	22	...	34	...	37
Huon	446	614,143	22,240	33,666	350	1029	...	6299	100	562	...	198	40	6	...	337
Kingborough	459	327,945	40,974	17,829	649	10,487	58	15,237	180	765	2	90	62	157	...	856
New Norfolk	330	222,695	5794	11,582	892	15,562	317	13,792	1072	615	14	1544	81	686	19	834
Port Cygnet	336	542,267	23,476	17,015	224	2438	20	3031	...	562	25	119	...	81	...	133
Tasman	92	73,103	23,840	8590	5635	611	375	2780	240	10	60	...	...	15	...	1
Total S. Division	2009	2,074,335	140,361	100,066	8020	35,178	770	43,229	1592	2776	101	1985	183	1250	69	2224
Gormanston	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Queenstown	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Strahan	2	66	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Waratah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Zeehan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total W. Division	2	66	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand Total	3787	3,493,404	190,256	276,269	18,201	207,109	11,907	78,819	5979	7348	379	7900	706	7223	319	2640

ORCHARDS—PRODUCTS, 1927-28.

Municipality.	Apples.	Pears.	Apricots.	Plums.	Cherries.	Peaches.	Quinces.	Gooseberries.	Currants.†	Raspberries.†	Strawberries.†	Other Products.*
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bush.	lbs.	bush.	bush.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.
Hobart	54,500	2000	4345	2500	11,758	81	675	1040	23,444	19,240	17,412	500
Launceston	7000	400	122	300	675	7	41	132	136	320	40	...
Glenorchy	60,500	3100	24,293	9000	6560	511	337	59,610	178,560	75,640	770	...
Total Urban Div.	122,000	5500	28,760	11,800	18,993	599	1053	60,782	202,140	95,200	18,222	500
Circular Head	900	90	2	75	770	6	28	...	...	...	...	...
Deloraine	1000	50	...	78	1410	...	...	...	103	132	...	...
Devonport	71,200	1500	55	437	225	92	123	...	...	...	...	...
Emu Bay	900	70	10	80	800	2	2	...	...	150	...	...
Kentish	16,000	800	3	66	280	10	14	...	...	...	...	700
King Island	40	10	...	15	16	...	5	...	...	...	...	...
Latrobe	79,100	1100	40	57	34	10	...	...	...	120	...	...
Leven	1860	40	16	25	...	...	15	175	...	...	...	...
Penguin	600	100	53	85	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Table Cape	9100	200	13	32	320	12	7	...	...	...	...	...
Total N.W. Div.	180,700	3960	192	950	3855	140	194	175	103	402	...	700
Beaconsfield	421,300	38,200	1012	4450	9191	469	280	1487	837	1887	...	90
Fingal	1350	110	42	198	1556	16	5	140	330	800	...	...
Flinders Island	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
George Town	70,600	6500	...	250	530	27	2	...	...	...	...	...
Lilydale	95,300	3200	38	350	610	28	15	120	200	300	...	...
Portland	2100	150	456	170	1300	28	9	480	...	435	...	80
Ringarooma	1250	10	10	40	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...
Scottsdale	25,400	530	56	240	420	41	18	...	20	...	...	...
Total N.E. Div.	617,300	48,700	1614	5698	13,607	609	334	2227	1387	3422	...	170
Evandale	520	5	16	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Longford	5260	500	191	350	2105	80	119	90	150	350	...	...
St. Leonards	25,400	925	279	340	4420	88	64	150	300	3100	420	...
Westbury	9120	270	50	280	2132	22	48	460	2102	2052	20	1450
Total N. Mid. Div.	40,300	1700	536	980	8657	190	231	700	2552	5502	440	1450
Bothwell	850	10	2	30	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Campbell Town	760	50	57	220	100	71	27	135	72	520	147	40
Hamilton	17,200	340	72	950	957	259	84	100	308,446	25,100	...	...
Oatlands	350	10	3	50	217	...	6	...	930	60	...	...
Ross	440	10	10	60	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...
Total Mid. Div.	19,600	420	144	1310	1304	330	122	235	309,448	25,680	147	40
Brighton	139,600	5600	32,671	4500	7680	191	652	...	69,470	26,460	...	...
Clarence	120,400	20,200	62,164	2250	8055	250	4910	...	4800	...	...	2000
Glamorgan	6230	10	115	10	F	F	...	...	...	...	...	...
Green Ponds	50,200	560	1202	1420	4410	...	18	400	18,338	20,990	...	3160
Richmond	24,860	1700	2106	250	320	62	110	...	15,660	2990	...	...
Sorell	35,200	1400	4276	1300	3098	235	300	93	...	...	60	...
Spring Bay	64,410	15,250	311	1520	...	...	120	...	...	...	...	...
Total S.E. Div.	440,900	44,720	102,845	11,250	23,563	738	6110	1338	108,268	50,440	60	5160
Bruny	49,200	2100	1481	1240	2775	5	115	3350	3100	25,700	32,800	18,500
Esperance	540,500	4800	202	1560	3810	33	85	...	61,510	26,372	19,550	49,800
Huon	1,272,100	28,210	1023	6970	6130	262	14	1760	190,210	1,296,830	3800	5000
Kingborough	284,800	8500	6880	15,750	14,750	86	63	108,870	1,083,554	1,588,908	259,509	48,328
New Norfolk	244,400	7370	9958	10,900	6302	919	932	16,382	946,066	1,397,956	38,380	1520
Port Cygnet	750,900	13,400	2004	3980	7951	89	75	14,778	65,327	264,758	36,848	15,005
Tasman	110,200	4615	502	1500	268	...	2	120	2500	...	...	...
Total S. Div.	3,252,100	68,995	22,050	41,900	41,986	1394	1286	145,260	2,352,267	4,600,524	390,887	138,153
Gormanston	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Queenstown	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Strahan	100	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Waratah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Zeehan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total W. Div.	100	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL	4,673,000	174,000	156,141	73,888	111,965	4000	9330	210,717	2,976,165	4,781,170	409,756	146,173

* Includes 53,792 lbs. blackberries. † In addition to the quantities shown above, some 73,000 lbs. of currants and 950,000 lbs. of blackberries, grown in town allotments and very small holdings, were sold to factories.

F = Failed.

LIVESTOCK, 1926, 1927.

(31st December)

Municipality.	Horses.		Horned Cattle (including Calves).		Sheep (including Lambs).		Pigs.	
	1926.	1927.	1926.	1927.	1926.	1927.	1926	1927.
Hobart	1149	1011	1068	1170	49	72	166	201
Launceston	624	604	531	479	599	681	115	102
Glenorchy	461	445	818	897	1230	1046	305	314
Total Urban Division	2234	2060	2417	2546	1878	1799	586	617
Circular Head	1954	1977	18,149	17,872	13,752	14,889	3000	3161
Deloraine	2354	2365	11,061	13,179	41,176	49,712	3334	4546
Devonport	595	603	1707	1818	2466	2820	504	552
Emu Bay	1362	1371	7222	7470	5706	5595	1362	1613
Kentish	1577	1468	6893	6398	7098	8667	2046	1947
King Island	434	414	14,411	13,405	2815	3374	1373	1026
Latrobe	1029	1015	4090	4181	15,073	18,757	813	827
Leven	1301	1267	4971	4966	8900	8367	1620	1378
Penguin	846	841	3785	3714	2441	2901	829	730
Table Cape	1734	1799	11,156	11,543	4879	6476	2590	2901
Total N.W. Division	13,186	13,120	83,445	84,546	104,366	121,558	17,471	18,681
Beaconsfield	996	924	3884	3800	23,710	27,743	1613	1633
Fingal	656	648	7124	7315	106,891	115,052	710	860
Flinders Island	253	266	4392	4090	23,382	25,079	132	134
George Town	294	252	1699	1387	25,645	28,810	219	131
Lilydale	779	696	4529	3754	28,190	30,376	1726	1064
Portland	253	253	4463	5423	10,779	12,093	541	698
Ringarooma	1012	1023	11,031	12,010	25,409	32,064	1908	2154
Scottsdale	1174	898	9198	6182	24,373	29,338	2016	1102
Total N.E. Division	5417	4960	46,320	43,961	268,379	300,555	8865	7776
Evandale	712	720	3833	4049	106,948	105,909	380	338
Longford	1540	1550	5927	5340	133,575	140,954	985	1543
St. Leonards	634	630	3487	3596	29,188	32,519	754	799
Westbury	1934	1948	6091	5977	62,424	75,846	1812	2415
Total N. Mid. Division	4820	4848	19,338	18,962	332,135	355,228	3931	5095
Bothwell	331	346	5529	5741	150,329	146,805	93	105
Campbell Town	549	539	4286	4127	135,347	134,042	88	148
Hamilton	670	638	11,671	11,514	160,158	165,147	292	350
Oatlands	1277	1186	7790	6482	199,452	201,274	809	868
Ross	250	259	3017	2384	100,837	99,577	61	60
Total Mid. Division	3077	2968	32,293	30,248	746,123	746,825	1343	1531
Brighton	789	765	2422	2371	40,258	39,889	510	541
Clarence	575	634	1371	1409	18,041	19,393	346	424
Glamorgan	185	182	949	795	64,936	68,093	140	111
Green Ponds	426	401	2392	2401	43,937	43,128	483	432
Richmond	781	816	2209	2362	50,161	54,204	499	481
Sorell	839	775	3649	3390	44,214	48,923	896	955
Spring Bay	185	180	1156	1202	51,360	53,741	141	190
Total S.E. Division	3780	3753	14,148	13,930	312,907	327,371	3015	3134
Bruny	105	103	572	548	3979	7180	48	48
Esperance	518	483	1512	1465	1631	1210	417	662
Huon	707	656	2083	2328	1789	798	350	743
Kingborough	707	686	2825	2891	2378	2545	1054	1121
New Norfolk	1221	1155	3347	3289	25,645	27,764	737	797
Port Cygnet	530	531	964	1318	487	1107	450	628
Tasman	323	330	1659	1910	5656	10,967	484	822
Total S. Division	4111	3944	12,962	13,749	41,565	51,571	3540	4821
Gormanston	21	25	349	339	13		49	3
Queenstown	35	33	174	221	...	...	23	19
Strahan	15	32	290	347	...	7	26	11
Waratah	99	86	687	1467	...	...	39	45
Zeehan	35	43	689	578	192	41	18	19
Total W. Division	205	219	2189	2952	205	48	155	97
GRAND TOTAL	36,830	35,872	213,112	210,894	1,807,558	1,904,955	38,906	41,752
Increase	...	...	...	...	97,397	...	2846	...
Decrease	...	958	...	2218	...	...	...	...

LIVESTOCK, 1927.

(31st December)

Municipality.	Cattle Owners.	Sheep Owners.	Horses.			Cattle.						Pigs.		Goats.	
			Under One year.	Over One Year.		Dairy Cows.		Heifers, One to Two years.	Calves, under One year.	Working Bullocks.	Other Cattle.	Sows over One year.	Other.	Angora	Other.
				Mares.	Other.	Milking.	Dry.								
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Hobart	114	2	...	427	584	793	182	62	75	...	58	17	184	...	...
Launceston	34	6	...	186	418	342	43	18	26	...	50	13	89	...	...
Glenorchy	130	10	...	164	281	469	179	36	46	...	167	63	251	...	...
Total Urban Div.	278	18	..	777	1283	1604	404	116	147	...	275	93	524	...	...
Circular Head	492	106	81	970	926	4590	973	2171	3603	495	6040	496	2665	180	...
Deloraine	525	293	83	1162	1120	3706	403	1850	2867	416	3937	653	3893	67	397
Devonport	184	35	8	261	334	720	151	240	381	16	310	122	430	...	...
Emu Bay	323	58	26	598	747	2122	278	913	1515	311	2331	299	1314	...	38
Kentish	472	147	51	752	665	1729	490	896	1505	213	1565	525	1422	86	16
King Island	128	15	16	215	183	3146	681	1344	1658	146	6430	148	878	1	1
Latrobe	235	121	25	531	459	952	250	487	667	85	1740	158	669	105	120
Leven	385	117	51	693	523	1901	302	700	1201	304	558	256	1122	...	26
Penguin	229	32	36	411	394	1285	70	574	965	128	692	157	573	...	15
Table Cape	511	79	76	830	893	4277	464	1105	2651	401	2645	436	2465	...	...
Total N.W. Div.	3484	1003	453	6423	6244	24,428	4062	10,280	17,013	2515	26,248	3250	15,431	439	613
Beaconsfield	320	160	29	364	531	1024	407	585	561	126	1097	230	1403	20	6
Fingal	188	124	23	335	290	1260	625	949	1089	37	3355	160	700	52	24
Flinders Island	64	49	5	128	133	452	278	534	700	30	2096	30	104	...	1
George Town	109	71	4	114	134	380	179	172	208	53	395	41	90	...	...
Lilydale	294	145	17	310	369	991	438	399	799	261	866	206	858	...	...
Portland	119	55	3	120	130	1597	166	675	998	42	1945	104	594	...	...
Ringarooma	269	55	21	486	516	3654	302	1152	2367	351	4184	342	1812	5	...
Scottsdale	252	64	36	382	480	1944	184	616	1379	242	1817	268	834	...	16
Total N.E. Div.	1615	723	138	2239	2583	11,302	2579	5082	8101	1142	15,755	1381	6395	77	47
Evandale	97	92	48	337	335	471	294	515	682	97	1990	53	285	...	...
Longford	223	204	72	738	740	1214	414	732	864	40	2076	230	1313	...	310
St. Leonards	174	84	11	300	319	1012	394	503	588	146	953	178	621	2	2
Westbury	326	252	126	998	824	1768	473	923	1221	122	1470	332	2083	5	3
Total N.Mid.Div.	820	632	257	2373	2218	4465	1575	2673	3355	405	6489	793	4302	7	315
Bothwell	66	63	13	144	189	275	185	565	805	108	3803	29	76	...	...
Campbell Town	108	92	13	282	244	302	282	459	598	54	2432	36	112	1	...
Hamilton	195	147	18	289	331	438	341	1227	2124	184	7200	80	270	150	...
Oatlands	322	285	32	591	563	1083	660	863	1039	152	2685	199	669	17	...
Ross	46	28	4	107	148	166	138	361	246	59	1414	15	45	...	...
Total Mid. Div.	737	615	80	1413	1475	2264	1606	3475	4812	557	17,534	359	1172	168	...
Brighton	166	126	21	338	406	698	404	397	358	10	504	100	441	...	...
Clarence	186	99	12	287	335	591	209	214	246	8	141	76	348	1	1
Glamorgan	79	68	..	95	87	158	64	137	91	6	339	22	89	...	...
Green Ponds	165	66	16	187	198	394	282	289	465	54	917	84	348	...	...
Richmond	201	173	32	350	434	649	275	376	392	4	666	126	355	...	4
Sorell	266	158	37	396	342	1404	398	457	484	139	508	182	773	...	...
Spring Bay	71	65	1	74	105	200	133	158	172	51	488	30	160	...	...
Total S.E. Div.	1134	755	119	1727	1907	4094	1765	2028	2208	272	3563	620	2514	1	5
Bruny	65	24	1	38	64	159	79	76	95	14	125	11	37	...	20
Esperance	267	8	8	187	288	455	135	193	324	12	346	79	583	...	...
Huon	380	15	3	278	375	543	384	237	337	57	770	146	597	...	111
Kingborough	383	22	10	240	436	1043	417	354	410	19	648	176	945	1	5
New Norfolk	335	128	28	469	658	973	574	560	497	20	665	152	645	...	...
Port Cygnet	296	9	6	244	281	471	174	211	325	5	132	88	540	...	..
Tasman	145	65	5	137	188	815	63	292	365	66	309	127	695	...	...
Total S. Div.	1871	271	61	1593	2290	4459	1826	1923	2353	193	2995	779	4042	1	136
Gormanston	2	...	...	4	21	8	2	...	9	...	320	1	2	...	...
Queenstown	12	...	...	16	17	47	35	26	59	...	54	8	11	...	...
Strahan	26	1	1	14	17	54	55	87	55	7	89	2	9	...	...
Waratah	32	...	...	30	56	142	32	140	177	...	976	19	26	...	...
Zeehan	25	2	...	17	26	64	30	34	38	...	412	3	16	...	...
Total W. Div.	97	3	1	81	137	315	154	287	338	7	1851	33	64	...	...
TOTAL TASMANIA	10,036	4020	1109	16,626	18,137	52,931	13,971	25,864	38,327	5091	74,710	7308	34,444	693	1116

SHEEP AND WOOL.

Municipality.	Sheep, 31st December, 1927.							Shearing, 1927-28.			
	Description.			Breed.				Last Shearing.		Wool Clip.	
				Pure Breeds.							
	Ewes.	Lambs.	Other.	Merino.	Other Pure Breeds.	Come-back.	Other.	Sheep Shorn.	Lambs Shorn.	From Sheep.	From Lambs.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	lbs.	lbs.
Hobart	25	25	22	...	...	...	72	25	25	430	40
Launceston	103	74	504	...	...	564	117	507	77	3451	96
Glenorchy	539	275	232	...	...	...	1046	584	250	4430	295
Total Urban Division	667	374	758	...	...	564	1235	1116	352	8311	431
Circular Head	6833	3604	4452	...	642	2	14,245	11,047	3624	76,612	6726
Deloraine	24,710	16,599	8403	1503	1363	6178	40,668	31,698	6616	203,588	12,892
Devonport	1389	1077	354	...	...	...	2820	1659	...	10,972	...
Emu Bay	2781	1897	917	1	3	...	5591	3499	58	23,733	165
Kentish	6315	1305	1047	...	47	1253	7367	6902	172	42,159	248
King Island	2538	757	79	...	153	2306	915	2245	1126	15,205	1937
Latrobe	7872	5135	5750	36	136	5051	13,534	12,279	406	80,048	409
Leven	3842	2210	2315	...	78	180	8109	6032	313	40,144	650
Penguin	1466	1064	371	...	109	1	2791	1770	194	11,995	491
Table Cape	3597	2418	461	...	383	64	6029	3678	319	24,477	798
Total N.W. Division	61,343	36,066	24,149	1540	2914	15,035	102,069	80,809	12,828	528,933	24,316
Beaconsfield	10,346	7171	10,226	51	351	7774	19,567	21,648	5862	137,130	7378
Fingal	41,729	23,877	49,446	251	187	36,738	77,876	91,586	23,810	597,378	25,816
Flinders Island	14,032	7160	3887	2851	1075	3232	17,921	18,462	6149	132,665	14,506
George Town	10,243	5192	13,375	2317	98	17,692	8703	23,561	4425	150,677	5397
Lilydale	8808	5757	15,811	521	904	8525	20,426	23,388	4735	160,193	6420
Portland	5800	3146	3147	3100	43	1488	7462	7290	2785	38,963	3593
Ringarooma	15,287	4078	12,699	90	3	24,393	7578	27,000	2005	179,622	2717
Scottsdale	8499	4885	15,954	...	145	12,731	16,462	24,182	3661	157,310	4259
Total N.E. Division.	114,744	61,266	124,545	9181	2806	112,573	175,995	237,117	53,432	1,553,938	70,086
Evandale	46,045	27,836	32,028	5600	907	22,554	76,848	89,346	24,005	624,969	24,977
Longford	64,261	38,510	38,183	16,217	6176	27,367	91,194	106,259	29,199	719,194	37,817
St. Leonards	14,047	7708	10,764	10,711	183	2186	19,439	26,664	6121	181,359	6775
Westbury	30,938	21,893	23,015	620	1448	5929	67,849	53,531	11,059	360,627	16,414
Total N. Mid. Div.	155,291	95,947	103,990	33,148	8714	58,036	255,330	275,800	70,384	1,886,149	85,983
Bothwell	55,364	29,506	61,935	15,798	5572	67,507	57,928	109,706	28,992	737,095	28,493
Campbell Town	58,967	32,196	42,879	45,611	4728	30,093	53,610	111,345	32,016	781,512	32,295
Hamilton	67,688	34,571	62,888	39,638	3094	56,887	65,528	145,648	29,341	992,362	34,787
Oatlands	90,347	60,317	50,610	23,638	1146	30,199	146,291	146,131	51,986	1,029,512	56,719
Ross	35,285	18,907	45,365	51,698	638	16,815	30,406	85,176	17,206	603,766	19,674
Total Mid. Division	307,651	175,497	263,677	176,383	15,178	201,501	353,763	598,006	159,541	4,144,247	171,968
Brighton	18,995	10,275	10,619	878	1558	4166	33,287	33,202	4801	242,549	6334
Clarence	9034	4527	5832	84	136	4014	15,159	15,369	2548	102,819	4302
Glamorgan	23,422	13,332	31,339	6119	29	46,451	15,494	56,802	12,986	336,614	11,743
Green Ponds	19,190	10,233	13,705	1023	2390	8159	31,556	41,704	11,791	269,015	14,906
Richmond	20,579	12,226	21,399	614	164	20,586	32,840	44,682	6083	288,790	6516
Sorell	16,610	10,249	22,064	748	169	8482	39,524	38,592	2734	256,103	4515
Spring Bay	18,886	10,902	23,953	5240	600	31,760	16,141	45,708	7178	283,597	5617
Total S. E. Division.	126,716	71,744	128,911	14,706	5046	123,618	184,001	276,059	48,121	1,779,487	53,933
Bruny	2136	860	4184	8	9	1578	5585	5930	571	39,028	760
Esperance	635	330	245	...	...	250	960	1384	330	7531	390
Huon	394	126	278	...	...	...	798	979	...	5640	...
Kingborough	1450	450	645	5	3	...	2537	1907	391	14,735	735
New Norfolk	11,136	6913	9715	313	2	4942	22,507	21,515	3465	143,077	4055
Port Cygnet	432	325	350	...	21	...	1086	493	325	3340	340
Tasman	5618	2647	2702	51	...	1221	9695	7527	743	47,196	1339
Total S. Division	21,801	11,651	18,119	377	35	7991	43,168	39,735	5825	260,547	7619
Gormanston	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Queenstown	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Strahan	3	3	1	...	..	...	7	...	...	...	...
Wa atah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Zeehan	22	19	...	...	...	21	20	22	...	120	...
Total W. Division	25	22	1	...	...	21	27	22	...	120	...
TOTAL TASMANIA	788,238	452,567	664,150	235,335	34,693	519,339	1,115,588	1,508,664	350,483	10,161,732	414,336

DAIRY PRODUCE, CALVING AND LAMBING, 1927.

Municipality.	Milk per Day at 31st Dec., 1927.	Made on Farm during Year.				Calves.			Ewes put to Rams.	Lambs Marked.
		Butter made.	Preserved Cream.	Cheese made.	Bacon and Ham made.	Dropped.	Reared.	Killed or died at birth.		
	gals.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Hobart	1122	700	...	...	...	497	57	440	25	25
Launceston	286	108	...	...	150	171	33	138	103	73
Glenorchy	488	1500	200	...	...	239	114	125	394	230
Total Urban Division	1896	2308	200	...	150	907	204	703	522	328
Circular Head	10,003	126,776	1100	...	24,741	4875	3453	1422	5804	4606
Deloraine	7590	126,316	400	...	71,024	3627	2688	939	20,616	17,263
Devonport	1156	42,404	2000	...	3080	561	350	211	652	514
Emu Bay	4612	56,945	7000	...	30,933	2005	1416	589	2575	2019
Kentish	2975	120,952	2000	...	54,240	1751	1492	259	5816	4568
King Island	6200	23,111	...	...	2510	3179	1660	1519	1744	1071
Latrobe	1622	63,153	...	...	21,581	871	771	100	6819	5720
Leven	4529	83,527	16,200	...	24,237	1816	1147	669	3657	3339
Penguin	3301	45,573	2000	...	19,412	1284	934	350	940	791
Table Cape	10,118	136,044	...	...	26,948	4243	2894	1349	2718	2549
Total N.W. Division	52,106	824,801	30,700	...	278,706	24,212	16,805	7407	51,341	42,440
Beaconsfield	1955	61,340	17,000	...	29,022	930	536	394	8568	6732
Fingal	2095	39,553	2000	164,640	46,380	1522	1095	427	33,234	24,410
Flinders Island	852	17,677	...	...	728	700	645	55	12,552	8673
George Town	646	14,519	350	300	4189	296	173	123	7249	5599
Lilydale	3679	65,616	...	...	17,169	1214	766	448	7473	5757
Portland	3859	20,346	312	50,360	14,682	1558	967	591	3860	2816
Ringarooma	7740	82,259	50	92,380	26,069	3499	2020	1479	6848	5064
Scottsdale	3585	51,622	18,650	...	25,518	1939	1425	514	6431	5192
Total N.E. Division	24,411	352,932	38,362	307,680	163,757	11,658	7627	4031	86,215	64,243
Evandale	848	19,003	...	...	8380	785	615	170	39,445	30,526
Longford	1818	62,599	4700	...	22,701	1131	927	204	54,734	41,472
St. Leonards	1525	38,324	...	...	17,897	994	593	401	10,007	8352
Westbury	2924	129,802	2400	...	50,217	1595	1221	374	27,093	22,352
Total N. Mid. Div.	7115	249,728	7100	...	99,195	4505	3356	1149	131,279	102,702
Bothwell	345	11,995	...	...	2647	809	782	27	40,096	30,985
Campbell Town	400	13,976	...	...	3760	636	576	60	44,038	33,087
Hamilton	463	14,124	100	...	1772	2131	2086	45	50,876	35,813
Oatlands	1727	59,667	48,134	...	11,516	1141	1003	138	79,770	66,315
Ross	203	7165	...	...	940	280	247	33	25,870	18,539
Total Mid. Division	3138	106,927	48,234	...	20,635	4997	4694	303	240,650	184,739
Brighton	1270	41,405	12,910	...	5840	619	343	276	15,870	12,865
Clarence	829	31,151	13,980	...	5210	449	258	191	7187	5628
Glamorgan	284	14,800	...	...	5526	139	91	48	18,147	13,349
Green Ponds	782	22,210	...	...	13,310	533	466	67	19,539	15,701
Richmond	1000	35,353	...	...	4230	602	411	191	17,435	13,443
Sorell	3261	44,730	...	...	3880	1258	496	762	13,147	10,445
Spring Bay	219	17,545	...	...	4370	206	166	40	12,444	10,812
Total S.E. Division	7645	207,194	26,890	...	42,366	3806	2231	1575	103,769	82,243
Bruny	309	19,220	...	...	475	150	93	57	1619	1050
Esperance	821	46,610	...	...	15,432	437	321	116	882	642
Huon	853	42,147	5000	...	6590	460	295	165	394	309
Kingborough	1693	52,652	3495	...	16,277	860	525	335	776	594
New Norfolk	1048	41,636	3000	...	4082	900	504	396	8349	6184
Port Cygnet	462	34,639	3500	...	4891	411	285	126	380	300
Tasman	2315	75,075	1000	...	5285	835	358	477	3160	1941
Total S. Division	7501	311,979	15,995	...	53,032	4053	2381	1672	15,560	11,020
Gormanston	12	150	...	...	...	9	9	...	...	...
Queenstown	50	350	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Strahan	67	500	...	...	...	92	68	24	3	3
Waratah	200	1363	800	...	...	124	106	18	...	...
Zeehan	102	1100	...	...	...	62	53	9	23	19
Total W. Division	431	3463	800	...	...	287	236	51	26	22
TOTAL TASMANIA	104,243	2,059,332	168,281	307,680	657,841	54,425	37,534	16,891	629,362	487,737

LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED AND DIED—BEES.

Municipality.	All Livestock Slaughtered on Farm or Station in 1927.							Livestock died during 1927.				Bees.				
						Pigs.						Colonies (Hives) at time of Collector's Visit Productive.		Yield of Honey and Wax in 1927.		
							For Curing							Honey.		Wax.
	Sheep.	Lambs.	Bullocks.	Cows.	Calves.	For Pork.	Holding only.	Horses.	Sheep.	Cattle.	Pigs.	In Box Hives.	In Frame Hives.	Box.	Frame	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.
Hobart	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	2	50	...	...	1	26	40	430	...
Launceston	18	...	...	...	...	4	1	...	16	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Glenorchy	50	5	...	...	...	4	...	3	31	3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Urban Div.	68	5	...	...	...	14	1	5	97	5	...	1	26	40	430	...
Circular Head	707	372	46	81	15	507	168	52	782	629	111	45	16	758	1150	...
Deloraine	2376	501	51	82	10	627	498	73	2184	307	100	165	33	3051	410	119
Devonport	183	178	2	2	...	32	19	9	95	33	6	12	...	240	...	...
Emu Bay	163	252	7	18	2	652	188	34	277	318	80	47	2	1140	75	...
Kentish	1004	801	17	32	...	1126	300	27	444	128	65	6	7	200	80	...
King Island	176	58	...	8	...	22	13	3	250	400	103	10	...	140	...	...
Latrobe	1643	104	6	4	...	165	154	42	751	84	15	62	186	790	3752	41
Leven	414	281	52	25	...	273	171	52	360	229	68	58	142	1104	8982	192
Penguin	308	4	14	13	...	169	157	3	25	31	...	2	...	20	...	...
Table Cape	216	80	9	6	4	470	189	48	271	392	180	125	25	2545	680	21
Total N.W. Division	7190	2631	204	271	31	4043	1857	343	5439	2551	728	532	411	9988	15,129	373
Beaconsfield	937	253	13	3	...	938	204	21	1115	135	74	140	123	3131	3482	299
Fingal	3337	112	6	46	1	318	330	25	4325	275	25	34	51	420	740	34
Flinders Island	250	95	1	...	3	22	5	13	1008	138	18	...	1	...	20	...
George Town	351	23	1	2	...	59	35	6	1437	32	3	11	6	125	120	6
Lilydale	777	119	3	12	3	797	123	12	1017	78	71	38	8	855	134	5
Portland	420	64	14	11	...	297	118	2	469	283	12	25	17	750	550	32
Ringarooma	614	146	6	9	...	416	204	28	1554	395	96	12	...	340	...	...
Scottsdale	429	104	12	12	12	344	198	45	855	127	36	7	15	80	314	20
Total N.E. Division	7115	916	56	95	27	3191	1217	152	11,780	1463	335	267	221	5701	5310	396
Evandale	4004	91	14	48	...	97	62	44	4630	115	13	...	...	...	...	...
Longford	6524	319	32	49	7	400	149	82	4349	195	1	5	7	70	160	...
St. Leonards	1056	95	14	36	...	600	134	10	939	100	71	26	43	508	776	52
Westbury	4078	283	47	38	3	625	398	106	2278	271	94	111	41	2313	1385	77
Total N. Mid. Div.	15,662	788	107	171	10	1722	743	242	12,196	681	179	142	91	2891	2321	129
Bothwell	3613	118	3	63	4	33	15	8	5410	133	2	...	12	...	240	...
Campbell Town	4279	92	12	23	1	43	23	25	4087	171	1	6	58	100	1250	13
Hamilton	5292	102	85	115	1	66	11	15	8041	369	2	57	...	878	...	23
Oatlands	3434	209	40	89	3	139	69	20	5661	156	5	52	25	768	536	...
Ross	2383	53	1	35	...	18	6	13	2907	91	1	3	1	104	35	...
Total Mid. Div.	19,001	574	141	325	9	299	124	81	26,106	920	11	118	96	1850	2061	36
Brighton	2209	228	18	8	1	98	36	22	1072	147	10	23	44	420	1887	36
Clarence	1329	129	6	1	2	60	39	17	778	36	18	22	34	337	660	...
Glamorgan	1983	1	3	17	2	30	38	9	3326	97	6	5	1	96	30	...
Green Ponds	1688	81	4	23	14	191	99	13	1108	75	39	81	4	3140	140	...
Richmond	2817	203	12	19	2	122	25	29	1497	69	21	37	1	521	20	2
Sorell	2211	32	6	31	1	57	32	22	1684	91	33	21	4	355	120	...
Spring Bay	1650	16	4	13	...	31	27	5	1851	38	5	34	13	794	310	15
Total S.E. Division	13,887	690	53	112	22	589	296	117	11,316	546	132	223	101	5663	3167	53
Bruny	147	16	7	10	1	35	3	4	226	7	3	4	2	200	60	12
Esperance	27	6	1	6	...	86	100	1	54	6	1	241	119	5710	3530	80
Huon	324	5	26	25	6	95	55	12	31	33	...	186	2	4580	80	35
Kingborough	66	62	...	17	2	261	110	5	92	80	44	286	71	3818	640	...
New Norfolk	2520	163	31	16	5	87	29	32	1104	111	36	75	46	1465	790	3
Port Cygnet	6	...	...	...	...	10	38	6	61	26	2	50	22	721	420	16
Tasman	531	37	18	29	...	62	36	5	449	33	2	29	3	405	25	60
Total S. Division	3621	289	83	103	14	636	371	65	2017	296	88	871	265	16,899	5545	206
Gormanston	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Queenstown	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	22	21	...	...	...	...	...
Strahan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	...	180	309	2280	8240	35
Waratah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...
Zeehan	...	4	6	...	3	11	...	2	1	5	...	...	143	...	904	109
Total W. Division	...	4	6	...	3	11	...	3	1	45	22	180	452	2280	9144	144
GRAND TOTAL	66,544	5897	650	1077	116	10,505	4609	1008	68,952	6507	1495	2334	1663	45,312	43,107	1337

Of the total box hives, 32 per cent. were unproductive. Of the total frame hives, 16 per cent. were unproductive.

SLAUGHTERING FOR YEAR 1927-28.

LICENSED Establishments (Butcheries) not included in Stock and Crop Returns.

Municipality.	Hands Employed.	Sheep.	Lambs	Bullocks.	Cows.	Calves.	Pigs.
Hobart	30	64,978	43,933	6207	3210	1013	6507
Launceston	13	24,180	20,383	2905	3064	327	654
Glenorchy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Urban Div.	43	89,158	64,316	9112	6274	1340	7161
Circular Head	12	1002	1332	258	820	...	286
Deloraine	12	2365	1829	162	690	28	418
Devonport	13	2890	2053	593	201	5	468
Emu Bay	20	4000	2450	918	390	258	3000
Kentish	9	824	688	444	329	...	237
King Island	2	560	110	100	148	2	35
Latrobe	5	1281	1630	330	136	2	234
Leven	6	1347	1540	430	350	...	382
Penguin	3	680	120	105	81	...	...
Table Cape	16	982	1548	294	680	46	577
Total N.W. Div.	98	15,931	13,300	3634	3825	341	5637
Beaconsfield	8	1594	746	199	156	21	180
Fingal	11	2878	696	117	282	2	327
Flinders	1	78	20	5	48	...	25
George Town	2	646	482	25	17	1	23
Lilydale	4	1145	340	88	77	...	61
Portland	7	938	909	179	165	...	205
Ringarooma	12	2190	1067	466	326	...	571
Scottsdale	8	1227	1272	260	222	...	501
Total N.E. Div.	53	10,696	5532	1339	1293	24	1893
Evandale	4	685	487	43	9	...	...
Longford	4	2212	468	196	30	5	92
St. Leonards	6	602	616	72	67	...	30
Westbury	6	1272	1472	184	130	...	202
Total N. Mid. Div.	20	4771	3043	495	236	5	324
Bothwell	5	1013	183	25	14	...	11
Campbell Town	3	1334	176	63	29	...	50
Hamilton	5	1265	265	50	5	...	78
Oatlands	6	1011	628	64	62	11	132
Ross	3	910	155	58	72	...	30
Total Mid. Div.	22	5533	1407	260	182	11	301
Brighton	3	1569	607	150	20	...	225
Clarence	10	2083	1187	162	93	35	245
Glamorgan	1	698	25	9	8	...	20
Green Ponds	3	968	192	10	24	6	106
Richmond	5	846	737	8	1	...	100
Sorell	3	1599	984	69	75	...	57
Spring Bay	2	195	240	20	40	...	30
Total S.E. Div.	27	7958	3972	428	261	41	783
Bruny	1	310	18	22	18	...	29
Esperance	9	1837	342	414	288	6	228
Huon	11	921	349	389	144	24	135
Kingborough	11	4111	959	365	242	45	339
New Norfolk	11	6952	1552	471	372	10	373
Port Cygnet	10	1649	957	548	216	35	151
Tasman	2	435	156	31	8	...	22
Total S. Div.	55	16,215	4333	2240	1288	120	1277
Gormanston	2	2326	399	393	50	1	264
Queenstown	3	712	...	142	...	...	24
Strahan	4	1036	1048	232	69	...	232
Waratah	5	576	284	51	131	...	58
Zeehan	4	3684	...	588	...	...	242
Total W. Div.	18	8334	1731	1406	250	1	820
Total Tasmania — Butcheries	336	158,596	97,634	18,914	13,609	1883	18,196
Total Tasmania — On Farms	...	66,544	5897	650	1077	116	15,114*
Total Tasmania — At Factories	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,483
Grand Total	336	225,140	103,531	19,564	14,686	1999	48,793

* Including 4609 for Bacon.

CLASSIFICATION OF HOLDINGS—1927-28.

Municipality.	Number of Returns.	Agriculture.	Dairying.	Pastoral.	Fruit.	Agriculture & Dairying.	Agriculture & Pastoral.	Agriculture & Fruit.	Agriculture, Dairying, & Pastoral.	Pastoral and Fruit.	Agriculture, Pastoral & Fruit.	Agriculture, Dairying & Fruit.	Market Gardeners.	Hops.	Hops and Fruit	Dairying & Fruit.	Dairying & Pastoral.	Unclassified. (a)
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Hobart	187	...	34	...	49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	1	...	96
Launceston	68	...	11	...	1	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	45
Glenorchy	192	2	17	...	61	...	1	2	1	...	...	...	14	...	...	...	...	94
Total Urban Division	447	2	62	...	111	2	1	2	1	1	...	...	29	...	...	1	...	235
Circular Head	524	158	81	4	...	134	22	...	18	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	104
Deloraine	564	134	8	7	...	190	13	...	33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	174
Devonport	222	87	7	1	26	13	...	11	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	5	71
Emu Bay	363	174	13	...	1	76	28	...	6	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	62
Kentish	534	319	2	2	3	48	35	2	13	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	107
King Island	139	...	71	13	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	45
Latrobe	261	98	4	2	35	8	55	5	14	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	38
Leven	448	201	6	1	...	111	4	..	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	123
Penguin	251	138	4	...	1	77	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28
Table Cape	543	185	32	...	5	228	5	2	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80
Total N.W. Division	3849	1494	228	30	71	887	163	20	95	2	1	1	6	...	...	...	19	832
Beaconsfield	495	28	2	29	230	7	34	8	8	19	3	...	10	...	...	2	2	113
Fingal	229	22	15	47	...	7	21	...	13	...	..	...	2	...	...	...	15	87
Flinders Island	73	...	15	26	...	5	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	14
George Town	140	6	4	31	19	...	17	2	7	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	53
Lilydale	336	68	21	19	19	9	51	18	11	9	5	...	...	...	...	1	...	105
Portland	140	...	42	20	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	19	56
Ringarooma	288	2	107	27	...	51	14	...	5	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	5	75
Scottsdale	289	20	67	15	7	60	10	3	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	91
Total N.E. Division	1990	146	273	214	277	139	147	31	60	28	9	...	14	...	...	4	54	594
Evandale	105	19	1	10	...	4	23	...	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	17
Longford	254	74	1	19	...	3	96	...	19	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	41
St. Leonards	231	26	18	21	8	16	35	3	12	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	3	85
Westbury	350	93	7	7	2	53	41	1	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	101
Total N. Mid. Division	940	212	27	57	10	76	195	4	101	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	9	244
Bothwell	82	...	...	36	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	28
Campbell Town	123	2	1	46	...	...	20	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	50
Hamilton	223	2	2	36	6	1	8	4	7	...	...	...	...	28	15	...	5	109
Oatlands	341	61	...	71	...	1	123	...	10	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	74
Ross	56	...	...	16	...	1	8	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	27
Total Mid. Division	825	65	3	205	6	3	159	4	27	...	...	...	2	28	15	...	20	288
Brighton	241	22	...	10	42	1	43	29	11	2	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	51
Clarence	231	22	7	4	48	...	31	30	4	19	12	...	5	2	...	...	...	47
Glamorgan	94	3	...	47	3	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29
Green Ponds	180	12	...	16	37	1	25	5	4	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	77
Richmond	216	25	...	36	15	4	75	...	2	2	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	45
Sorell	315	25	19	21	18	2	64	8	15	...	15	1	...	...	...	8	23	101
Spring Bay	83	...	...	46	1	...	5	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	23
Total S.E. Division	1360	109	26	180	164	8	255	72	36	27	72	1	5	2	...	3	27	373
Bruny	73	...	...	6	38	...	1	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15
Esperance	405	4	4	4	238	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	153
Huon	489	...	5	...	412	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	66
Kingborough	544	6	15	1	303	8	...	4	1	2	...	2	6	3	1	6	...	186
New Norfolk	430	13	7	3	133	5	4	18	5	6	...	1	...	32	33	8	1	161
Port Cygnet	365	1	2	...	254	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	98
Tasman	175	...	27	15	45	...	...	4	...	...	7	14	...	...	...	...	11	52
Total South. Division	2481	24	60	29	1423	13	5	27	6	27	7	17	6	35	35	24	12	731
Gormanston	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Queenstown	12	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
Strahan	13	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	6
Waratah	45	...	9	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35
Zeehan	49	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41
Total W. Division	121	...	23	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	90
Total Tasmania	12,013	2052	702	721	2062	1128	925	160	326	85	89	19	69	65	50	32	141	3387

(a) Holdings were not classed when the total output of the holding was less than £100 in value.

LAND SALES AND LEASES—DECENNIAL SUMMARY.

Item.	1927-28.	1926-27.	1925-26.	1924.	1923.	1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.
Land Sales.									
Country Lots Sold or Selected—									
Number..... No.	148	172	201	196	237	454	432	349	249
Area ..... Acres	14,179	26,885	25,340	19,507	20,500	40,941	53,905	34,316	24,893
Value ..... £	11,722	17,954	19,469	23,563	17,836	32,518	39,497	29,355	20,215
Rate per ac. (average) £	0 15 10	0 13 4	0 15 4	1 4 2	0 17 5	0 15 11	0 14 8	0 17 1	0 16 3
Town and Suburban Lots Sold—	...	...							
Number..... No.	77	115	73	59	66	59	81	102	69
Area ..... Acres	222	307	962	321	193	550	1614	733	412
Value ..... £	2778	8137	3678	2438	5075	1876	3266	3959	4472
Rate per ac. (average) £	12 10 7	26 10 1	3 16 6	7 11 11	26 5 11	3 8 3	2 0 6	5 8 0	10 17 1
Receipts—									
Selections ..... £	17,779	19,839	24,803	24,412	26,107	29,251	35,255	46,374	44,771
Other Sales ..... £	5162	6330	1734	5035	8615	9168	7129	10,536	11,638
Rent, Crown Lands..... £	11,791	11,099	10,802	10,873	11,045	10,906	11,125	11,669	9105
Total Receipts..... £	61,671	66,776	65,430	73,740	69,877	70,520	80,756	96,228	78,453
Crown Grants Issued..... No.	422	496	514	543	673	610	773	952	716
" " " area, acres	36,162	48,577	55,623	69,453	81,112	67,759	76,055	102,857	80,134
Crown Leases Issued " "	263,783	243,124	138,678	133,247	171,487	89,666	197,597	340,876	217,816
Land in process of alienation forfeited during year... acres	297	31,295	15,855	25,502	26,445	11,302	15,987	17,585	19,100
Granted without Sale (Free Grants) ..... acres	1894	400	2315	5416	15,373	16,933	...	...	...

GENERAL RETURN OF LAND SETTLEMENT AS AT 31ST DECEMBER EACH YEAR.

...	1928.	1927.	1926.	1925.	1924.	1923.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Alienated Land.....	5,662,595	5,631,096	5,594,934	5,546,357	5,490,734	5,407,937
Land in process of Alienation	587,656	616,083	645,000	700,000	729,861	798,043
Crown Lands—						
Leased for Pastoral purposes	2,167,049	2,081,474	2,038,100	1,685,000	1,681,000	1,700,000
" Mining purposes	46,600	45,862	49,992	52,033	37,024	42,866
" Timber-getting.....	273,100	279,500	290,100	284,800	282,673	272,270
" Closer Settlement.....	84,000	84,000	90,000	93,283	90,753	93,000
" Soldier Settlement	176,630	177,000	178,000	182,387	188,652	192,600
" Other purposes	104,000	104,000	98,000	98,000	98,000	98,000
Occupied by Commonwealth.....	10,100	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
" State Departments	8000	8000	8000	8000	8000	8000
Unoccupied, but reserved for public purposes *	1,500,000	1,020,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
Balance unoccupied, unreserved † ...	6,158,270	6,720,985	6,775,874	7,118,140	7,161,303	7,155,284
Total area of State	16,778,000	16,778,000	16,778,000	16,778,000	16,778,000	16,778,000

* Approximate. † Includes Rivers and Lakes.

FORESTRY RETURN.

Particulars.	1927-28.	1926-27.	1925-26.	1924-25.	1923-24.	1922-23.	1921-22.	1920-21
Timber Reserves ..... acres*	946,338	1,642,792	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
State Forests (Dedicated) acres	1,252,843	327,929	176,137	142,327	31,259	29,259	16,400	...
State Nurseries..... acres	8	8	8	8	6	4	...	...
State Plantations ..... acres	610	600	600	250	65	...	...	...
Total Receipts ..... £	17,790	18,730	20,715	20,757	21,150	19,346	18,892	20,442
Total Expenditure ..... £	11,017	11,995	13,006	11,436	8277	8291	7069	2621

* Approximately.

SOLDIER SETTLEMENT.—DECENNIAL SUMMARY.

Particulars.	1927.	1926.	1925.	1924.	1923.	1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.	1918.
Holdings occupied by Soldiers. No.	813	865	949	1070	1297	1535	1622	1304	329	94
Holdings occupied by others. . No.	768	711	656	542	355	170	65	21	...	...
Holdings unoccupied..... No.	53	58	41	53	51	25	13	44	3	15
Area of Holdings..... acres	272,145	272,145	272,102	272,098	272,098	270,662	264,383	209,869	50,827	18,886
Cost of Land for Soldier Settlement ..... £	2,155,101	2,155,101	2,143,716	2,123,714	2,097,806	2,060,540	2,047,282	1,633,180	376,301	102,375

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For statistical purposes in Australia a factory is an establishment engaged in secondary production which uses power or employs more than three persons. Certain industries, however, such as construction works (buildings, wharves, bridges, and roads), fuel-cutting, and slaughtering, have never been included in the Commonwealth schedule.

NUMBER OF FACTORIES.

The number of "factories" which furnished returns for 1927-28 was 792, against 767 in the previous year, and a decennial average of 669. Although the number is 11 above the previous highest record, reached in 1923-24, it is not a true index of increased activity, because in the figures for the current year some 45 bakeries are included; and bakeries were brought on to the schedule for the first time in 1926-27. During the past few years there has been no falling-off in numbers, despite the fact that business was dull in the sawmilling industry, which accounts for 30 per cent. of the total factories. In 1926-27 there were 11 establishments employing 100 or more hands; and in the current year the number increased to 13.

HANDS EMPLOYED.

Each of the past three years shows an increase over its immediate predecessor in the matter of the number of hands employed. In 1923-24 there was an unusually large increase, which practically disappeared from the following year's returns; otherwise the increase has been fairly consistent from year to year during the past decade. The increase was relatively greater in female workers, the number of whom has risen from 1219 in 1917 to 2645 in 1928—an increase of 117 per cent.; while in the same period the number of males increased by only 1840, equivalent to 41 per cent. The growth in numbers is due partly to the inclusion of industries not previously scheduled and partly to the establishment of new factories.

Compared with last year, the principal manufactories which show increased numbers of workers are woollen and knitting mills, 286; jam and fruit-preserving factories, 150; metal extraction works, 146; cycle and motor works, 47; and printing offices, 43; and those which recorded a falling off in numbers are sawmilling, 431; engineering, 48; and boot factories, 43.

The relative sizes of factories, measured by the numbers of employees within certain groups, may be gleaned from the following table:—

Percentage of workers in factories employing—	Tasmania.					Australia.
	1913.	1920.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.	1926-7.
1 to 20 workers	38	32	36	37	37	24
21 to 50 workers	21	26	16	18	14	17
51 to 100 workers	10	23	15	16	16	15
101 workers and over	31	19	33	29	33	44
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100

Tasmania, compared with Australia, has a much larger portion of her factory workers employed in small establishments, and a smaller portion in big ones; but the average, in 1926-27, in establishments employing over 100 hands was 302 in Tasmania, as against 271 in the rest of the Commonwealth.

SALARIES AND WAGES.

For *All Workers* the average wage, £191 per annum, was £7 below that for the previous year; but still £18 above the decennial average. There was no fall in the average wage for males, which stands at £222; but that for females dropped from £94 to £86. If, however, working proprietors, managers, overseers, accountants, and clerks be omitted, the position would be altered. The average rate for males would then show, relatively, a decline of £4 and for females of £8.

The average wage for each of the past three years was as follows:—

Year.	(A) Workers (Other than Proprietors, Managers, Overseers, Accountants and Clerks). Average Wage Per Annum.		(B) All Workers. Average Wage Per Annum.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
	£	£	£	£	£
1925-26	201	83	221	90	196
1926-27	206	88	222	94	198
1927-28	202	80	222	86	191

To the male workers (of Section (A)) the highest rate of wages, average £263, was paid in printing establishments, followed by £259 in fertiliser works, £255 in metal extraction works, and £239 in electricity works. Leather workers, with an average of £148, were the poorest paid males. The average wages paid to female workers ranged from £156 in the furniture industry, £134 in refrigerating works, £103 in printeries, and £94 in jam factories down to £35 in rubber goods factories.

CAPITAL VALUE.

There has been no very great alteration in the estimated capital values of land, buildings, plant, and machinery combined, during the past four years. In 1927-28 the value, £8,984,000, was £135,000 higher than in the previous year, and £198,000 above the decennial average. Establishments that show increases in capital values, compared with the previous year, are breweries £137,000, electricity works £55,000, and woollen mills £49,000. Metal-extraction works show a decrease in capital value amounting to £159,000; but this is due to heavy writing down of plant values rather than to inactivity in the industry.

RAW MATERIAL.

Raw material (£3,730,360) cost £45,000 more than in the previous year, and about £206,000 above the decennial average. Compared with last year, biscuit factories show, under this item, an increase of £114,000, and sawmills an increase of £98,200, while the metal-extraction industry records a decrease of £174,000.

OTHER COSTS OF MANUFACTURE.

In 1927-28 costs, other than labour and raw material, totalled £836,752, which is £10,772 above the amount for the previous year, and £11,922 higher than the average for the past four years. Amongst the industries which show costs in excess of the 1926-27 figures are jam-making and fruit preserving, £21,147; carbide manufacture, £10,648; and brewing, £10,200. On the other hand the metal-extraction industry shows a reduction amounting to £42,537.

VALUE OF PRODUCTION.

The net value of factory production amounted to £3,670,888, which is £77,476 more than in 1926-27; £66,369 higher than the average for the past five years; and £536,948 greater than the decennial average.

A comparison of production values in each of the past four years is set out in the following table:—

	1924-25.	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28.
	£	£	£	£
Output	7,842,504	7,605,194	8,104,545	8,238,410
Raw material	3,442,292	3,365,049	3,685,153	3,730,766
All other costs (excluding labour and depreciation)	774,529	862,061	825,980	836,756
Net production	3,625,683	3,378,084	3,593,412	3,670,888
Net production per £100 of labour costs	182	170	171	172

The net production is approximately the amount available to meet labour costs, interest on invested capital, contributions to sinking funds, insurance, incidental expenses, other charges, and profit.

In the following table the net production for each of four years, together with the ratio of production to labour costs in the year 1927-28, is shown for each of the principal industries:—

Industry.	Value. 1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.	Per £100, Labour Costs.
	£	£	£	£	£
Lime, cement, &c.	108,688	108,916	87,794	112,180	208
Sawmills	375,494	352,977	369,490	259,488	135
Metal-extraction	837,915	840,258	840,994	689,693	198
Bread, biscuits, &c.	*	138,879	151,050	242,439	172
Jam-pulp, &c.	145,756	140,931	161,441	224,551	200
Woollen mills	112,494	91,291	234,784	300,422	198
Books, printing, &c.	215,691	201,905	216,883	219,380	130
Cycle and motor works	*	89,072	109,447	132,835	132
Heat, light, and power (including carbide)	419,002	352,775	292,029	316,054	391

* Not available.

The wage-proportion of net production for all manufacturing industries was 58 per cent., compared with 58·5 per cent. and 58·9 per cent. respectively in the previous two years. The ratio varies in different industries, according to the amount of capital invested. In the current year the variations range from 15 per cent. in the electricity industry to 50 per cent. in woollen mills and 80 per cent. in engineering works.

Omitting salaries drawn by working proprietors, the wage-proportion equalled 54·5 per cent., compared with 55·8 per cent. in the latest year available (1926-27) for the whole of Australia. The averages for four years are: Tasmania 53·8 per cent. and the Commonwealth 55·3 per cent.

POWER USED.

There is a growing demand for power for factory use. In 1927-28, of all establishments, 91 per cent. were using power, compared with 88 per cent in 1924-25; and the gross horse-power used grew, in the same period, from 126,151 to 131,529. Deducting the electric power included twice (at the generating station and at factories) in these totals, the net horse-power used in the latest year was 81,343, an advance of 2754 on the figures for the previous year.

No. 1.—*AVERAGE Number* of Workers in Industries.*

Class of Industry.	Number of Establishments.	Working Proprietors.		Managers and Overseers.		Accountants, Clerks, and Salesmen.		Engine-drivers and Firemen.	Carters and Messengers.	All Other Workers. (a)		Total Workers.		Workers Under 21 Years of Age.		Workers Under 16 Years of Age.	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
I. Treating Raw Materials, &c.	80	20	..	4	..	4	2	26	2	211	..	267	2	21	1	3	..
II. Oils and Fats	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III. Stone, Clay, Glass	21	6	..	26	..	16	5	12	5	353	..	418	5	40	3	9	..
IV. Working in Wood	226	113	..	57	..	36	14	92	29	1055	58	1382	72	218	25	44	7
V. Metal Works, Machinery, &c	38	27	..	141	..	135	26	17	20	1641	10	1981	36	230	11	16	..
VI. Food, Drink, &c.	135	66	8	111	3	158	69	37	136	1118	463	1626	543	421	224	90	59
VII. Clothing, Textile Fabrics	84	55	8	44	14	51	34	12	15	625	1540	802	1596	249	833	58	213
VIII. Books, Paper, Printing	22	23	..	51	..	82	44	..	9	389	94	554	138	133	57	22	8
IX. Musical Instruments	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
X. Arms and Explosives	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
XI. Vehicles, Saddlery, &c	92	88	..	36	..	45	43	..	13	513	4	695	47	204	18	29	..
XII. Shipbuilding, &c.	5	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	27	..	33	..	7	..	..	..
XIII. Furniture, Bedding, &c.	44	41	2	9	1	8	3	1	8	327	21	394	27	159	9	38	1
XIV. Drugs, Chemicals	16	4	..	9	..	12	7	1	5	64	14	95	21	12	13	1	2
XV. Surgical, &c., Instruments	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
XVI. Timepieces, Jewellery, &c.	8	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	3	22	..	29	..	8	..	2	..
XVII. Heat, Light, and Power	13	5	..	33	..	27	6	27	6	216	..	314	6	24	..	3	..
XVIII. Rubber Goods & Leatherware, n.e.i.	8	7	..	4	..	5	4	..	3	29	1	48	5	17	2	7	..
XIX. Minor Wares, n.e.i.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	792	463	18	526	18	580	257	225	254	6590	2205	8638	2498	1743	1196	322	290

(*a*) Including workers at their own homes (14 Males, 53 Females). * Average for *whole* year, not for period in which each establishment was in operation.

No. 2.—*CLASSIFICATION of Industries According to Number of Workers.*

Class of Industry.	Establishments Employing on the Average †—															
	Under 4 Persons.		4 Persons.		From 5 to 10 Persons.		From 11 to 20 Persons.		From 21 to 50 Persons.		From 51 to 100 Persons.		Over 100 Persons.		All Establishments.	
	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
I. Treating Raw Materials, &c.	...	...	3	12	74	552	2	26	...	...	1	63	...	...	80	653
II. Oils and Fats	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
III. Stone, Clay, Glass	1	2	5	20	7	50	3	39	3	90	...	...	2	253	21	454
IV. Working in Wood	65	165	32	128	83	548	31	466	12	280	3	242	...	...	226	1829
V. Metal Works, Machinery, &c.	6	13	3	12	9	65	6	102	11	365	...	...	3	1460	38	2017
VI. Food, Drink, &c.	34	76	13	52	46	299	25	358	9	275	6	421	2	920	135	2401
VII. Clothing, Textile Fabrics	5	9	10	40	35	246	11	165	10	283	10	716	3	1039	84	2498
VIII. Books, Paper, Printing	2	6	4	16	4	30	4	57	3	109	3	179	2	331	22	728
IX. Musical Instruments	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
X. Arms and Explosives	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XI. Vehicles, Saddlery, &c	29	70	17	68	28	194	10	144	7	219	1	64	...	...	92	759
XII. Shipbuilding, &c.	2	6	...	...	2	10	1	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	33
XIII. Furniture, Bedding, &c.	10	18	6	24	16	99	9	134	1	24	2	128	...	...	44	427
XIV. Drugs, Chemicals	9	16	1	4	3	18	1	12	2	74	...	...	...	...	16	124
XV. Surgical, &c., Instruments	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XVI. Timepieces, Jewellery, &c.	4	9	...	...	4	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	31
XVII. Heat, Light, and Power	3	6	2	8	3	21	...	...	2	78	2	116	1	109	13	338
XVIII. Rubber Goods & Leatherware, n.e.i.	2	6	...	...	6	47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	53
XIX. Minor Wares, n.e.i.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	172	402	96	384	320	2201	103	1520	60	1797	28	1929	13	4112	792	12,845

† Average number employed for period in which establishment was in operation.

No. 3.—*CAPITAL Value, Output, Costs of Manufacture, &c.*

Class of Industry.	Capital Value of		Output. (Value of Goods Manufactured or Work done).	Costs of Manufacture (other than Labour).		Value of Production (Output less Costs other than Labour).		Labour Costs. (*b*)		Surplus. (Value of Production less Labour Costs.) (*c*)	Average Time Worked during Year.
	Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery		Raw Material.	Other Costs excluding Depreciation. (*a*)	Total.	Per Worker per annum.	Total	Per Worker per annum.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	Mths.
I. Treating Raw Materials, &c. ..	11,287	67,460	110,377	35,380	5298	69,699	259	48,494	180	21,205	5·0
II. Oils and Fats	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III. Stone, Clay, Glass	261,059	375,120	254,079	18,625	82,549	152,905	361	80,293	190	72,612	11·2
IV. Working in Wood	126,097	227,002	696,156	281,830	34,923	379,403	261	275,563	190	103,840	9·5
V. Metal Works, Machinery, &c...	405,417	1,359,342	2,359,163	1,167,657	302,407	889,099	441	517,281	256	371,818	12·0
VI. Food, Drink, &c.	735,402	454,196	2,402,299	1,345,336	275,055	781,908	361	404,403	186	377,505	10·8
VII. Clothing, Textile Fabrics.....	413,023	389,310	1,037,276	492,770	55,891	488,615	204	292,637	122	195,978	11·5
VIII. Books, Paper, Printing	109,673	132,414	318,533	91,650	7503	219,380	317	168,328	243	51,052	11·4
IX. Musical Instruments	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
X. Arms and Explosives	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
XI. Vehicles, Saddlery, &c.	217,486	35,156	249,978	58,296	5191	186,491	252	146,715	198	39,776	11·7
XII. Ship Building, &c.	3967	1655	11,133	2090	79	8964	272	6556	199	2408	12·0
XIII. Furniture, Bedding, &c.....	54,124	22,314	146,205	47,676	3017	95,512	227	71,031	169	24,481	11·8
XIV. Drugs, Chemicals	79,100	54,689	218,827	135,661	19,166	64,000	550	25,335	218	38,665	11·3
XV. Surgical, &c., Instruments	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
XVI. Timepieces, Jewellery, &c.	13,525	2026	7491	973	231	6287	213	5203	176	1084	11·4
XVII. Heat, Light, and Power	116,923	3,301,351	404,741	44,144	44,543	316,054	988	79,274	248	236,780	11·4
XVIII. Rubber Goods and Leatherware, n.e.i.....	11,695	3570	22,152	8678	903	12,571	237	8112	153	4459	12·0
XIX. Minor Wares, n.e.i.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	2,558,778	6,425,605	8,238,410	3,730,766	836,756	3,670,888	330	2,129,225	191	1,541,663	10·8

(*a*) For details see Table No. 4.
(*b*) For details see Table No. 5.
(*c*) Available for overhead costs not included in the foregoing, for Interest on Capital (including Working Capital), and for Profit.

No. 4.—*OTHER Costs of Manufacture in Industries.* (*a*)

Class of Industry.	Wrappers, Containers, Labels, &c.	Fuel Used.			Electric Power Used.	Light Used.	Water Used (Not as Power).	Other Stores, &c., Used.	Tools Replaced and Repairs to Plant.	Depreciation.
		Coal.	Oil.	Other.						
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
I. Treating Raw Materials, &c. ..	643	298	291	330	672	11	196	1657	1200	4358
II. Oils and Fats	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III. Stone, Clay, Glass	21,938	33,464	..	2738	8593	48	41	11,453	4274	15,265
IV. Working in Wood	6387	69	2907	1723	5270	146	37	8664	9720	14,782
V. Metal Works, Machinery, &c..	1	33,997	50	19,781	102,140	1670	4729	100,052	39,987	100,474
VI. Food, Drink, &c.	188,930	13,349	1554	14,422	14,744	2265	2286	19,861	17,644	45,290
VII. Clothing, Textile Fabrics	7763	9034	3	503	7155	3297	955	13,825	13,356	31,786
VIII. Books, Paper Printing	248	105	18	924	1897	1684	46	590	1491	11,749
IX. Musical Instruments	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
X. Arms and Explosives	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
XI. Vehicles, Saddlery, &c.	8	385	239	329	1697	516	77	681	1259	3493
XII. Ship Building, &c.	..	..	..	..	39	10	..	..	30	138
XIII. Furniture, Bedding, &c.	139	8	3	42	1307	193	..	503	822	1633
XIV. Drugs, Chemicals	15,386	773	..	784	239	55	81	748	1100	3869
XV. Surgical, &c., Instruments	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
XVI. Timepieces, Jewellery, &c.	3	..	..	36	67	87	..	..	38	120
XVII. Heat, Light, and Power	8731	2880	1032	3577	11,384	1295	239	4227	11,178	41,720
XVIII. Rubber Goods and Leatherware, n.e.i.....	..	48	..	324	205	2	..	29	295	451
XIX. Minor Wares, n.e.i.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	250,177	94,419	6097	45,513	155,409	11,279	8687	162,290	102,894	275,128

(*a*) See Column "Other Costs" in Table No. 3 for total amounts, which, however, do not include depreciation shown herein.

No. 5.—*SALARIES and Wages paid in Industries. (b)*

Class of Industry.	Total Amounts Paid to—								Average Annual Amount per Head to—			
	Working Proprietors.		Managers and Overseers.		Accountants, Clerks, and Salesmen.		All Other Workers.		"All Other Workers."		All Workers.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
I. Treating Raw Materials, &c.	4648	..	1483	..	1015	199	41,149	..	172	..	181	100
II. Oils and Fats	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III. Stone, Clay, Glass	1500	..	11,964	..	3282	433	63,114	..	170	..	191	87
IV. Working in Wood	23,776	..	20,654	..	8698	1301	217,871	3263	185	56	196	64
V. Metal Works, Machinery, &c. .	8408	..	58,524	..	44,143	3807	401,502	897	239	90	259	131
VI. Food, Drink, &c.	19,886	1012	46,497	530	35,197	10,288	251,026	39,967	194	86	217	95
VII. Clothing, Textile Fabrics.....	18,756	1574	17,991	3038	13,779	3656	114,009	119,834	174	78	205	80
VIII. Books, Paper, Printing	9608	..	22,672	..	20,149	5483	100,925	9491	254	101	277	108
IX. Musical Instruments	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
X. Arms and Explosives	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
XI. Vehicles, Saddlery, &c.	21,485	..	11,884	..	7844	4046	101,164	292	192	76	205	92
XII. Ship Building, &c.	1333	..	..	..	250	..	4973	..	184	..	199	..
XIII. Furniture, Bedding, &c.....	11,227	411	2584	176	1232	443	53,340	1618	159	77	174	98
XIV. Drugs, Chemicals	1169	..	3246	..	3351	819	15,946	804	228	57	249	77
XV. Surgical, &c., Instruments	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
XVI. Timepieces, Jewellery, &c.	872	..	572	..	..	..	3759	..	150	..	176	..
XVII. Heat, Light, and Power	700	...	12,375	..	7269	769	58,161	..	234	..	250	132
XVIII. Rubber Goods & Leatherware, n.e.i.	1170	..	844	..	965	349	4749	35	148	35	161	77
XIX. Minor Wares, n.e.i.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	124,538	2997	211,290	3744	147,174	31,593	1,431,688	176,201	202	80	222	86

(*b*) See column "Labour Costs" in Table No. 3 for total amounts.

No. 6.—*POWER Used in Industries.*

SOURCE OF POWER.

	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28.
	H.P.	H.P.	H.P.
Water (including hydro-electric)	70,384	70,780	73,381
Coal } Steam	5791	5901	6371
Wood }	1033	1164	1265
Oil	351	344	326
Gas	—	—	—
Wind			
Total*	77,559	78,189	81,343

* Of the total horsepower, 50,397 h.p. in 1925–26, 51,395 h.p. in 1926–27, and 52,186 h.p. in 1927-28 were applied in factories as electric power, either supplied by electric supply organisations or generated in the factory itself.

No. 7.—*AVERAGE Number* of Workers in Industries.*

(SEE ALSO TABLE No. 1).

Industry.	Number of Establishments.	Working Proprietors.		Managers and Overseers.		Accountants, Clerks, and Salesmen.		Engine-drivers and Firemen.	Carters and Messengers.	All Other Workers. (a)		Total Workers.		Workers Under 21 Years of Age.		Workers Under 16 Years of Age.	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
I.—*Treating Raw Materials, &c.*—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Boiling-down and Tallow .. Sausage Skins ..... Tanners and Fellmongers.. Bone and Fish Mills.....	3	1	..	3	..	4	2	2	2	63	..	75	2	18	1	3	..
Chaffcutting, &c.	77	19	..	1	..	..	..	24	..	148	..	192	..	3	..	..	..
II.—*Oils and Fats*—																	
Soap and Candles ..... (Included in Class XIV.)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III.—*Stone, Clay, Glass*—																	
Bricks, Tiles, Pipes, Pottery .	9	2	..	9	..	7	2	2	3	102	..	125	2	17	1	5	..
Lime, Plaster, Asphalt, Cement	6	1	..	15	..	9	2	10	2	235	..	272	2	15	1	2	..
Glass, Ornamental Glass, &c. Marble, Slate, Stone.....	6	3	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	16	..	21	1	8	1	2	..
IV.—*Working in Wood*—																	
Boxmaking, Cooperage .. Joinery, &c.	34	14	..	14	..	15	3	3	10	169	..	225	3	47	2	7	..
Sawmills (Town)	174	95	..	37	..	17	6	88	17	688	..	942	6	75	3	16	..
Sawmills (Forest)	8	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	9	..	13	..	3	..	..	..
Woodwool.....	3	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	5	..	9	..	..	..	..	..
Bark Mills	7	2	..	4	..	3	5	..	..	184	58	193	63	93	20	21	7
Woodturning, &c.																	
V.—*Metal Works, Machinery, &c.*—																	
Brass and Copper	5	12	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	46	..	61	1	27	..	2	..
Engineering, Boilermaking Iron Works & Foundries .	15	11	..	12	..	15	9	..	2	203	..	243	9	60	4	6	..
Railway & Tramway Works.. Metal Extraction and Ore Reduction	6	..	..	14	..	4	..	..	..	343	..	361	..	21	..	2	..
Tinsmithing, Wireworking...	3	..	..	111	..	110	15	17	17	983	10	1238	25	95	6	5	..
Electric Apparatus	6	3	..	3	..	4	..	..	..	51	..	61	..	18	..	1	..
	3	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	15	..	17	1	9	1	..	..
VI.—*Food, Drink, &c.*—																	
Bacon.....	6	4	..	3	..	3	3	2	2	22	..	36	3	3	..	1	..
Butter, Cheese, Milk	34	5	1	24	..	11	4	3	13	57	6	113	11	19	5	4	1
Meat and Fish Preserving ... Bread Biscuits & Confectionery	35	35	7	29	2	49	39	5	77	380	277	575	325	183	183	51	53
Flour, Oatmeal, &c.	10	6	..	2	..	17	3	2	10	64	..	101	3	7	1	..	..
Jam, Pulp, Canning, Pickles.	7	..	..	22	1	47	12	6	..	384	127	459	140	161	13	21	..
Fruit Drying	13	5	..	4	..	1	..	2	3	42	44	57	44	13	15	4	4
Cordials, Aërated Waters....	15	9	..	7	..	6	1	..	18	34	..	74	1	19	..	6	..
Brewing ..... Condiments, &c..... Cider Making ..... Malting	6	..	..	16	..	22	7	9	12	103	8	162	15	12	7	3	1
Icemaking and Freezing	9	2	..	4	..	2	..	8	1	32	1	49	1	4	..	..	..
VII.—*Clothing Textile Fabrics*—																	
Woollen & Tweed Mills ... Knitting Factories ...	9	8	1	23	2	30	20	10	3	369	817	443	840	169	458	37	127
Boots & Shoes (making)	6	5	..	5	1	6	3	..	..	108	67	124	71	27	39	8	5
,, ,, (repairing) ...	7	2	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	16	..	20	1	6	..	3	..
Clothing, Tailoring	37	31	1	13	2	11	8	..	8	102	382	165	393	29	174	6	42
Dressmaking & Millinery....	15	1	6	..	8	1	..	..	..	..	136	2	150	..	67	..	17
Shirts, Ties, Scarfs, &c.....	3	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	5	86	7	87	2	60	1	15
Dyeworks and Cleaning .. Furriers ..... Hats and Caps ..... Sailmaking, Tents, &c. ..	7	7	..	1	..	3	2	2	3	25	52	41	54	16	35	3	7
VIII.—*Books, Paper, Printing*—																	
Printing and Binding.....	13	17	..	8	..	20	7	..	5	131	45	181	52	36	22	3	2
Newspapers, &c.....	9	6	..	43	..	62	37	..	4	258	49	373	86	97	35	19	6
IX.—*Vehicles, Saddlery, &c.*—																	
Coach and Wagon Building Perambulators	28	37	..	9	..	6	6	..	2	157	..	211	6	60	2	12	..
Cycle and Motor Works ...	60	49	..	26	..	39	35	..	10	345	1	469	36	139	14	14	..
Saddlery, Harness, &c.....	4	2	..	1	..	..	2	..	1	11	3	15	5	5	2	3	..
X.—*Ship Building, &c.*—																	
Docks and Slips ..... Ship and Boat Building ..	5	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	27	..	33	..	7	..	..	..

(a) Including workers at their own homes.

* Average for *whole* year; not for period in which establishment was in operation.

No. 7.—*AVERAGE Number* of Workers in Industries*—continued.

Industry.	Number of Establishments.	Working Proprietors.		Managers and Overseers.		Accountants Clerks, and Salesmen.		Engine-drivers and Firemen.	Carters and Messengers.	All other Workers. (a)		Total Workers.		Workers Under 21 Years of Age.		Workers Under 16 Years of Age.	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
XIII. *Furniture, Bedding, &c*	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Bedding, Flock, Upholstery	7	2	2	3	1	1	..	..	1	35	14	42	17	17	8	5	1
Cabinetmaking, Furniture	32	36	..	4	..	7	2	1	6	267	1	321	3	133	..	30	..
Picture Frames, Window Blinds, Basketmaking and Wickerwork, Broommaking and Brushware	5	3	..	2	..	..	1	..	1	25	6	31	7	9	1	3	..
XIV. *Drugs, Chemicals.*																	
Chemicals, Drugs, &c. Paints, Essential Oils	8	4	..	3	..	10	6	1	3	33	14	54	20	11	13	1	2
Fertilizers	8	..	..	6	..	2	1	..	2	31	..	41	1	1	..	..	..
XVI. *Timepieces, Jewellery, &c.*																	
Electroplating, Jewellery	8	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	3	22	..	29	..	8	..	2	..
XVII. *Heat, Light, and Power.*																	
Electricity	10	..	..	18	..	3	1	9	..	98	..	134	1	15	..	1	..
Gas Works	3	5	..	15	..	18	5	18	6	118	..	180	5	9	..	2	..
Carbide Works																	
XVIII. *Rubber Goods & Leatherware, n.e.i.*																	
Portmanteaux, Rubber Goods	8	7	..	4	..	5	4	..	3	29	1	48	5	17	2	7	..
TOTAL	792	463	18	526	18	580	257	225	254	6590	2205	8638	2498	1743	1196	322	290

(a) Including workers at their own homes.
* Average for *whole* year; not for period in which each establishment was in operation.

No. 8.—*CLASSIFICATION of Industries According to Number of Workers.*

(See also Table No. 2.)

Industry.	Establishments Employing on the Average †—															
	Under 4 Persons.		4 Persons.		From 5 to 10 Persons.		From 11 to 20 Persons.		From 21 to 50 Persons.		From 51 to 100 Persons.		Over 100 Persons.		All Establishments.	
	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.
I. *Treating Raw Materials, &c.*	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Boiling-down and Tallow, Sausage Skins, Tanners and Fellmongers, Bone and Fish Mills	...	...	1	4	1	10	...	...	...	...	1	63	...	...	3	77
Chaffcutting	...	...	2	8	73	542	2	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	77	576
II. *Oils and Fats*—																
Soap and Candles (Included in Class XIV.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
III. *Stone, Clay, Glass*—																
Bricks, Tiles, Pipes and Pottery	...	...	...	...	3	23	3	39	3	90	...	...	...	...	9	152
Lime, Plaster, Asphalt and Cement	...	...	1	4	3	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	253	6	279
Glass, Ornamental Glass, &c. Marble, Slate, Stone	1	2	4	16	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	23
IV. *Working in Wood*—																
Boxmaking, Cooperage Joinery, &c	12	24	5	20	10	71	5	76	2	43	...	...	...	...	34	234
Sawmills (Town)	46	125	24	96	68	445	26	390	10	237	...	...	...	...	174	1293
Sawmills (Forest)																
Wood Wool	4	8	2	8	2	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	28
Bark Mills	1	3	1	4	1	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	17
Wood Turning, &c	2	5	...	...	2	10	...	...	...	...	3	242	...	...	7	257

† Average number employed for period in which establishment was in operation.

No. 8.—*CLASSIFICATION of Industries according to Number of Workers*—continued.

Industry.	Establishments Employing on the Average † —															
	Under 4 Persons.		4 Persons.		From 5 to 10 Persons.		From 11 to 20 Persons.		From 21 to 50 Persons.		From 51 to 100 Persons.		Over 100 Persons.		All Establishments.	
	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.	Establishments.	Workers.
V.—*Metal Works, Machinery, &c.*—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Brass and Copper	1	3	...	...	2	16	1	13	1	30	...	...	...	...	5	62
Engineering, Boilermaking... Iron Works and Foundries...	3	6	1	4	2	12	4	69	5	161	...	...	...	...	15	252
Railway and Tramway Works	..	...	1	4	...	...	...	...	4	140	...	...	1	217	6	361
Metal Extraction and Ore Reduction	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	20	...	...	...	...	2	1243	3	1263
Tinsmithing .... Wireworking	1	2	1	4	3	21	...	...	1	34	...	...	...	...	6	61
Electric Apparatus	1	2	...	...	2	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	18
VI.—*Food, Drink, &c.*—																
Bacon	2	5	...	...	2	11	2	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	39
Butter, Cheese, Milk	13	28	7	28	14	86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	142
Meat and Fish Preserving Bread, Biscuits, & Confectionery	2	5	2	8	18	119	8	112	1	24	3	217	1	417	35	902
Flour, Oatmeal, &c.	6	11	...	...	1	6	1	12	1	32	1	58	...	...	10	119
Jam, Pulp, Canning, Pickles...	...	...	1	4	...	...	3	48	2	69	...	...	1	503	7	624
Fruit Drying	...	...	...	...	2	17	6	88	5	150	...	...	...	...	13	255
Cordials, Aerated Waters	9	21	2	8	1	7	3	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	76
Brewing Condiments, &c. Cider Making Malting	...	...	...	...	3	24	1	20	...	...	2	146	...	...	6	190
Ice Making and Freezing	2	6	1	4	5	29	1	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	54
VII.—*Clothing, Textile Fabrics.*—																
Woollen and Tweed Mills ... Knitting Factories	...	...	...	...	1	5	...	...	3	108	2	177	3	1039	9	1329
Boots and Shoes (making)	...	...	1	4	...	...	2	33	1	27	2	136	...	...	6	200
Boots and Shoes (repairing) ...	4	7	1	4	2	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	21
Clothing, Tailoring	...	...	7	28	17	119	5	68	4	97	4	249	...	...	37	561
Dressmaking and Millinery	1	2	1	4	8	66	4	64	1	24	...	...	...	...	15	160
Shirts, Ties, Scarfs, &c.	...	...	...	...	1	8	...	...	1	27	1	77	...	...	3	112
Dye Works and Cleaning .... Furriers Hats and Caps .... Sailmaking, Tents, &c.	...	...	...	...	6	38	...	...	...	...	1	77	...	...	7	115
VIII.—*Books, Paper, Printing.*—																
Printing and Binding	1	3	3	12	3	21	3	41	1	39	2	127	...	...	13	243
Newspapers, &c.	1	3	1	4	1	9	1	16	2	70	1	52	2	331	9	485
XI.—*Vehicles, Saddlery, &c.*—																
Coach and Wagon Building . Perambulators	7	20	8	32	7	47	4	57	2	73	...	...	...	...	28	229
Cycle and Motor Works	21	47	9	36	18	130	6	87	5	146	1	64	...	...	60	510
Saddlery, Harness, &c.	1	3	...	...	3	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	20
XII.—*Shipbuilding, &c.*—																
Docks and Slips Ship and Boat Building	2	6	...	...	2	10	1	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	33
XIII.—*Furniture, Bedding, &c.*—																
Bedding, Flock, Upholstery	...	...	1	4	3	20	3	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	63
Cabinet Making, Furniture	8	14	5	20	11	69	6	95	...	...	2	128	...	...	32	326
Picture Frames Window Blinds Basketmaking & Wickerwork Broommaking & Brushware	2	4	...	...	2	10	...	...	1	24	...	...	...	...	5	38
XIV.—*Drugs Chemicals.*—																
Chemicals, Drugs, &c. Paints Essential Oils ...	3	8	1	4	2	13	1	12	1	41	...	...	...	...	8	78
Fertilizers	6	8	...	...	1	5	...	...	1	33	...	...	...	...	8	46
XVI.—*Timepieces, Jewellery, &c.*—																
Electro-plating, Jewellery	4	9	...	...	4	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	31
XVII.—*Heat, Light, & Power.*—																
Electricity	3	6	2	8	3	21	...	...	1	39	1	61	...	...	10	135
Gas Works Carbide Works	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	39	1	55	1	109	3	203
XVIII.—*Rubbergoods & Leatherware, n.e.i.*—																
Portmanteaux Rubber Goods	2	6	...	...	6	47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	53
Total	172	402	96	384	320	2201	103	1520	60	1797	28	1929	13	4112	792	12,345

† Average number employed for period in which each establishment was in operation.

No. 9.—*CAPITAL Value, Output, Costs of Manufacture, &c.*

(See also TABLE No. 3).

Industry.	Capital Value of—		Output. (Value of Goods Manufactured or Work Done).	Costs of Manufacture (other than Labour).		Value of Production (Output less Costs other than Labour).		Labour Costs. (*b*)		Surplus. (Value of Production less Labour Costs). (*c*)	Average Time Worked during Year.
	Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.		Raw Material.	Other Costs excluding Depreciation. (*a*)	Total.	Per Worker Per Annum.	Total.	Per Worker Per Annum.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	Mths.
I.—*Treating Raw Material, &c.*—											
Boiling-down and Tallow .. Sausage Skins ..... Tanners and Fellmongers .. Bone and Fish Mills	11,287	8396	59,274	35,380	2095	21,799	283	18,293	238	3506	12·0
Chaff Cutting, &c.....	..	59,064	51,103	..	3203	47,900	249	30,201	157	17,699	4·0
II.—*Oils and Fats*—											
Soap and Candles..... (Included in Class XIV).	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III.—*Stone, Clay, Glass*—											
Bricks Tiles, Pipes, Pottery ..	25,638	30,419	51,371	6512	9178	35,681	282	22,815	180	12,866	10·0
Lime, Plaster, Asphalt, Cement	232,448	343,224	194,116	8748	73,188	112,180	409	53,832	196	58,348	11·8
Glass, Ornamental Glass, &c. Marble, Slate, Stone	2973	1477	8592	3365	183	5044	226	3646	163	1398	11·7
IV.—*Working in Wood*—											
Boxmaking, Cooperage ..... Joinery, &c.	46,799	26,189	117,904	47,795	3285	66,824	293	50,310	221	16,514	11·7
Sawmills (Town) ..... Sawmills (Forest)	42,252	166,809	449,161	174,327	18,008	256,826	271	189,732	200	67,094	8·8
Wood Wool	1448	2852	3912	784	466	2662	207	1913	149	749	5·5
Bark Mills	2900	1620	33,276	26,226	1410	5640	615	2010	219	3630	6·5
Wood Turning, &c.	32,698	29,532	91,903	32,698	11,754	47,451	186	31,598	124	15,853	11·9
V.—*Metal Works, Machinery, &c.*—											
Brass and Copper.....	6595	3726	20,317	5409	418	14,490	234	11,299	182	3191	12·0
Engineering, Boiler-making. Iron Works and Foundries ..	38,717	39,864	107,379	29,263	5586	72,530	288	57,727	229	14,803	12·0
Railway and Tramway Works.	9450	92,398	122,258	19,220	8725	94,313	261	86,189	239	8124	12·0
Metal Extraction and Ore Reduction	342,020	1,219,248	2,072,063	1,095,413	286,957	689,693	546	348,253	276	341,440	12·0
Tinsmithing ..... Wireworking	7185	3428	32,346	17,474	585	14,287	234	11,026	181	3261	12·0
Electric Apparatus	1450	678	4800	878	136	3786	210	2787	155	999	12·0
VI.—*Food, Drink, &c.*—											
Bacon	10,697	7123	78,811	60,394	4153	14,264	366	7935	203	6329	12·0
Butter, Cheese, Milk	41,657	38,283	367,639	272,199	17,577	77,863	628	24,426	197	53,437	10·5
Meat and Fish Preserving . Bread, Biscuits&Confectionery	298,967	115,138	588,511	264,433	72,864	251,214	279	145,851	162	105,363	12·0
Flour, Oatmeal, &c.	60,255	51,599	401,600	335,989	11,251	54,360	525	26,458	255	27,902	10·4
Jam, Pulp, Canning, Pickles ..	99,904	31,641	665,127	329,830	110,746	224,551	375	112,174	187	112,377	11·5
Fruit Drying.....	21,432	14,130	44,694	18,340	5929	20,425	203	12,618	125	7807	4·7
Cordials, Aërated Waters	16,577	13,751	43,729	12,338	2483	28,908	385	15,140	201	13,768	11·9
Brewing ..... Condiments &c. ..... Cider Making..... Malting	123,615	157,353	187,468	51,081	44,948	91,439	518	47,750	271	43,689	11·1
Ice Making and Freezing	62,298	25,178	24,720	732	5104	18,884	376	12,051	240	6833	11·1
VII.—*Clothing, Textile Fabrics*—											
Woollen and Tweed Mills ... Knitting Factories	281,281	361,228	689,806	339,339	50,045	300,422	234	152,025	119	148,397	11·6
Boots and Shoes (making)....	13,760	7599	93,222	47,613	1888	43,721	224	32,777	168	10,944	11·7
" " (repairing)...	3735	893	6949	2384	122	4443	212	3233	154	1210	12·0
Clothing, Tailoring	75,975	5172	150,920	57,297	1823	91,800	164	72,387	130	19,413	11·9
Dressmaking and Millinery ...	11,872	1357	30,131	14,575	282	15,274	101	12,508	82	2766	11·4
Shirts, Ties, Scarfs, &c	5550	2454	29,630	19,372	278	9980	106	8760	93	1220	10·1
Dyeworks and Cleaning .... Furriers ..... Hats and Caps..... Sailmaking, Tents, &c.	20,850	10,607	36,618	12,190	1453	22,975	244	10,947	116	12,028	9·8
VIII.—*Books, Paper, Printing,*—											
Printing and Binding	32,851	38,114	89,588	21,120	1532	66,936	287	52,573	225	14,363	11·5
Newspapers, &c.	76,822	94,300	228,945	70,530	5971	152,444	332	115,755	252	36,689	11·4
XI.—*Vehicles, Saddlery, &c.*—											
Coach and Wagon Building . Perambulators	48,609	8574	76,020	24,958	1721	49,341	227	42,562	196	6779	11·4
Cycle and Motor Works	163,409	25,503	164,933	28,725	3373	132,835	263	100,724	200	32,111	11·9
Saddlery, Harness, &c.	5468	1079	9025	4613	97	4315	221	3429	176	886	11·7
XII.—*Shipbuilding, &c.*—											
Docks and slips ..... Ship and Boat Building	3967	1655	11,133	2090	79	8964	272	6556	199	2408	12·0

(*a*) For details see Table No. 10.
(*b*) For details see Table No. 11.
(*c*) Available for overhead costs not included in the foregoing, for interest on capital (including working capital), and for profit.

No. 9.—*CAPITAL Value, Output, Costs of Manufacture, &c.*—continued.

Industry.	Capital Value of—		Output.	Costs of Manufacture (other than Labour).		Value of Production. (Output less Costs other than Labour.)		Labour Costs. (*b*)		Surplus	Average Time Worked during Year.
	Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	(Value of Goods Manufactured or Work Done.)	Raw Material.	Other Costs excluding Depreciation. (*a*)	Total.	Per Worker, Per Annum.	Total	Per Worker, Per Annum.	(Value of Production less Labour Costs.) (*c*)	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	Mths.
XIII.—*Furniture, Bedding, &c.*—											
Bedding, Flock, Upholstery..	6166	2532	27,604	14,601	415	12,588	214	9202	157	3386	11·2
Cabinetmaking, Furniture ...	43,778	19,447	110,291	29,406	2482	78,403	242	57,235	177	21,168	11·9
Picture Frames, Window Blinds, Basketmaking & Wickerwork, Broom-making & Brushware	4180	335	8310	3669	120	4521	119	4594	121	— 73	11·9
XIV.—*Drugs, Chemicals*—											
Chemicals and Drugs, &c. Paints, Essential Oils	24,583	7148	70,365	36,292	5286	28,787	388	14,531	196	14,256	11·4
Fertilizers	54,517	47,541	148,462	99,369	13,880	35,213	837	10,804	257	24,409	11·0
XVI.—*Timepieces, Jewellery, &c.*—											
Electroplating, Jewellery ...	13,525	2026	7491	973	231	6287	213	5203	176	1084	11·4
XVII.—*Heat, Light, and Power*—											
Electricity	32,920	3,055,695	242,767	...	11,636	231,131	1712	33,940	251	197,191	12·0
Gas Works, Carbide Works	84,003	245,656	161,974	44,144	32,907	84,923	460	45,334	245	39,589	10·9
XVIII.—*Rubber goods and Leatherware, n.e.i.*											
Portmanteaux, Rubber Goods	11,695	3570	22,152	8678	903	12,571	237	8112	153	4459	12·0
TOTAL	2,558,778	6,425,605	8,238,410	3,730,766	836,756	3,670,888	330	2,129,225	191	1,541,663	10·8

(*a*) For details see Table No. 10.
(*b*) For details see Table No. 11.
(*c*) Available for overhead costs not included in the foregoing, for interest on capital (including working capital), and for profit.

No. 10.—*OTHER Costs of Manufacture in Industries* (*a*).

(See also Table No. 4).

Industry.	Wrappers, Containers Labels, &c,	Fuel Used.			Electric Power Used.	Light Used	Water Used (Not as Power).	Other Stores, &c., Used.	Tools Replaced and Repairs to Plant.	Depreciation.
		Coal .	Oil.	Other.						
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
I.—*Treating Raw Materials, &c.*										
Boiling-down and Tallow ... Sausage Skins ..... Tanners and Fellmongers ... Bone and Fish Mills	543	274	...	26	672	11	196	90	283	1124
Chaff-cutting	100	24	291	304	...	...	...	1567	917	3234
II.—*Oils and Fats.*										
Soap and Candles ..... (Included in Class XIV.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
III.—*Stone, Clay, Glass.*										
Bricks, Tiles, Pipes, Pottery...	1	4176	...	1960	1141	13	22	1469	396	1855
Lime, Plaster, Asphalt, Cement	21,915	29,285	...	728	7432	32	19	9914	3863	13,386
Glass, Ornamental Glass, &c. Marble, Slate, Stone	22	3	...	50	20	3	...	70	15	24
IV.—*Working in Wood.*										
Boxmaking, Cooperage..... Joinery, &c.....	...	...	44	120	1776	69	16	347	913	2655
Sawmills (Town) ..... Sawmills (Forest)	...	10	2828	1346	259	11	16	6403	7135	8984
Wood Wool.....	133	...	...	40	192	3	...	74	24	109
Bark Mills	918	59	...	145	45	4	...	44	195	64
Wood-turning, &c.....	5336	...	35	72	2998	59	5	1796	1453	2970

(*a*) See Column "Other Costs" in Table No. 9 for total amounts, which, however, do not include depreciations shown herein.

No. 10.—*OTHER Costs of Manufacture in Industries* (*a*)—continued.

Industry.	Wrappers, Containers, Labels, &c.	Fuel Used.			Electric Power Used.	Light Used.	Water Used (not as Power).	Other Stores, &c., Used.	Tools Replaced & Repairs to Plant.	Depreciation.
		Coal.	Oil.	Other.						
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
V.—*Metal Works, Machinery, &c.*										
Brass and Copper	...	...	...	198	120	8	...	32	60	298
Engineering, Boilermaking Ironworks and Foundries	...	1048	...	1145	1048	102	51	566	1626	2214
Railway & Tramway Works	...	2666	50	...	1661	329	85	1587	2347	400
Metal Extraction and Ore Reduction	...	30,128	...	18,421	99,207	1069	4593	97,791	35,748	97,245
Tinsmithing Wireworking	1	155	...	17	80	127	...	26	179	271
Electric Apparatus	...	...	...	...	24	35	...	50	27	46
VI.—*Food and Drink, &c.*										
Bacon	800	94	357	539	253	10	25	1863	212	557
Butter, Cheese, Milk	6532	625	854	2334	599	76	292	4633	1632	3691
Meat and Fish Preserving, Bread, Biscuits & Confectionery	45,503	5072	...	4936	2960	552	440	7443	5958	29,047
Flour, Oatmeal, &c.	4298	329	...	252	2639	97	...	236	3370	3050
Jam Pulp, Canning, Pickles	94,008	5448	...	1512	3190	1277	610	706	3995	872
Fruit Drying	2595	70	...	2073	316	98	5	121	651	877
Cordials, Aerated Waters	1121	245	3	119	91	12	52	578	262	563
Brewing, Condiments, Cider Making, Malting	33,993	1466	...	2619	2380	99	731	2522	1138	5368
Icemaking and Freezing	80	...	340	38	2286	44	131	1759	426	1265
VII.—*Clothing & Textile Fabrics.*										
Woollen and Tweed Mills, Knitting Factories	6384	8860	...	332	5992	2282	941	12,893	12,361	29,523
Boots and Shoes (making)	766	...	...	7	319	206	...	210	380	429
,, ,, (repairing)	10	...	...	5	44	21	...	25	17	34
Clothing, Tailoring	542	33	...	101	206	674	2	20	245	463
Dressmaking and Millinery	41	...	...	47	74	42	...	17	61	84
Shirts, Ties, Scarfs, &c.	...	...	3	2	90	26	...	...	157	196
Dyeworks and Cleaning, Furriers, Hats and Caps, Sailmaking, Tents, &c.	20	141	...	9	430	46	12	660	135	1057
VIII.—*Books, Paper, Printing*										
Printing and Binding	7	...	...	125	444	438	41	226	251	3678
Newspapers, &c.	241	105	18	799	1453	1246	5	364	1740	8071
IX.—*Vehicles, Saddlery, &c.*										
Coach and Wagon Building, Perambulators	5	371	50	213	350	73	13	172	474	629
Cycle and Motor Works	3	14	189	116	1322	423	64	489	753	2726
Saddlery, Harness, &c.	...	...	...	...	25	20	...	20	32	138
XII.—*Shipbuilding, &c.*										
Docks and Slips, Ship and Boat Building	...	...	...	...	39	10	...	...	30	138
XIII.—*Furniture, Bedding, &c.*										
Bedding, Flock, Upholstery	26	8	...	...	171	22	...	58	130	55
Cabinetmaking, Furniture	83	...	3	22	1118	152	...	412	692	1546
Picture Frames, Window Blinds, Basket-making & Wickerwork, Broom-making & Brushware	30	...	...	20	18	19	...	33	...	32
XIV.—*Drugs and Chemicals*										
Chemicals, Drugs, &c., Paints, Essential Oils	3090	658	...	784	87	42	70	166	389	569
Fertilizers	12,296	115	...	...	152	13	11	582	711	3300
XVI.—*Timepieces, Jewellery, &c.*										
Electro-plating, Jewellery	3	...	...	36	67	87	...	...	38	120
XVII.—*Heat, Light, & Power.*										
Electricity	...	199	1032	1030	...	...	10	1821	7544	30,956
Gas Works, Carbide Works	8731	2681	...	2547	11,384	1295	229	2406	3634	10,764
XVIII.—*Rubber Goods & Leatherware, n.e.i.*										
Portmanteaux, Rubber Goods	...	48	...	324	205	2	...	29	295	451
Total	250,177	94,410	6097	45,513	155,409	11,279	8687	162,290	102,894	275,128

(*a*) See Column "Other Costs" in Table No. 9 for total amounts, which, however, do not include depreciation shown herein.

No. 11.—*SALARIES and Wages paid in Industries.* (*b*)

(See also Table No. 5).

Industry.	Total Amounts paid to—								Average Annual Amount per head to—			
	Working Proprietors.		Managers and Overseers.		Accountants, Clerks, and Salesmen.		All Other Workers.		"All Other Workers."		All Workers.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
I. *Treating Raw Materials, &c.*—												
Boiling-down and Tallow.. Sausage Skins ..... Tanners and Fellmongers.. Bone and Fish Mills	980	..	1368	..	1015	199	14,731	..	220	..	241	100
Chaff Cutting, &c.....	3668	..	115	..	..	..	26,418	..	154	..	157	..
II. *Oils and Fats*—												
Soap and Candles ..... (Included in Class XIV.)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III. *Stone, Clay, Glass*—												
Bricks, Tiles, Pipes, Pottery	790	..	3150	..	1141	258	17,476	..	163	..	181	129
Lime, Plaster, Asphalt, Cement	200	..	8356	..	2141	110	43,031	..	174	..	197	55
Glass, Ornamental Glass, &c. Marble, Slate, Stone.....	510	..	464	..	..	65	2607	..	156	..	168	65
IV. *Working in Wood*—												
Box-making, Cooperage .. Joinery, &c.....	3360	..	5166	..	2994	262	38,528	..	212	..	223	87
Sawmills (Town) ..... Sawmills (Forest).....	19,416	..	12,821	..	4487	499	152,509	..	192	..	201	89
Wood Wool	400	..	140	..	..	..	1373	..	127	..	149	..
Bark Mills	150	..	402	..	338	..	1120	..	170	..	219	..
Wood Turning, &c.....	450	..	2125	..	879	540	24,341	3263	132	56	145	60
V. *Metal Works, Machinery, &c.*—												
Brass and Copper	4064	..	338	..	266	116	6515	..	139	..	183	116
Engineering, Boiler-making Iron Works and Foundries	3456	..	5752	..	3319	969	44,231	..	216	..	234	108
Railway and Tramway Works	..	..	4899	..	1379	..	79,911	..	233	..	239	..
Metal Extraction and Ore Reduction.....	..	..	46,508	..	38,271	2682	259,895	897	255	90	278	143
Tinsmithing ..... Wireworking	620	..	1027	..	751	..	8628	..	169	..	181	..
Electric Apparatus	268	..	..	..	157	40	2322	..	155	..	162	40
VI. *Food, Drink, &c.*—												
Bacon	800	..	996	..	796	290	5053	..	194	..	212	97
Butter, Cheese, Milk.....	952	126	8503	..	2365	348	11,611	521	159	81	207	90
Meat and Fish Preserving Bread, Biscuits, and Confectionery	11,038	886	10,582	310	11,135	6750	81,271	23,879	176	86	198	98
Flour, Oatmeal, &c.....	2745	..	1070	..	4626	512	17,505	..	230	..	258	171
Jam, Pulp, Canning, Pickles.	..	..	11,700	220	8603	1450	78,214	11,987	200	94	214	98
Fruit Drying	1708	..	1054	..	120	..	6966	2770	148	63	173	63
Cordials, Aërated Waters....	1717	..	1906	..	1270	91	10,156	..	195	.	203	91
Brewing..... .... Condiments, &c. ..... Cider making..... Malting.....	..	..	8899	..	6004	847	31,268	732	252	92	286	106
Ice-making and Freezing....	926	..	1787	..	278	..	8982	78	219	134	241	134
VII. *Clothing, Textile Fabrics*—												
Woollen and Tweed Mills.. Knitting Factories.....	4022	200	10,334	366	8599	1954	63,729	62,821	167	77	196	78
Boots and Shoes (making)...	1134	..	2281	185	1863	494	22,056	4764	204	71	220	77
,, ,, (repairing) .	280	..	308	..	..	104	2541	..	149	..	156	104
Clothing, Tailoring	9786	156	4493	481	2600	999	20,497	33,375	186	87	226	89
Dressmaking and Millinery..	520	1218	..	1806	26	..	..	8938	..	66	273	80
Shirts, Ties, Scarfs, &c.	600	..	73	200	..	..	994	6893	186	80	250	81
Dyeworks and Cleaning .. Furriers ..... Hats and Caps..... .... Sailmaking, Tents, &c.....	2414	..	502	..	691	105	4192	3043	137	59	193	59
VIII. *Books, Paper, Printing*—												
Printing and Binding	6648	..	3349	..	4694	991	32,183	4708	236	103	259	109
Newspapers, &c.	2960	..	19,323	..	15,455	4492	68,742	4783	263	99	285	108
XI. *Vehicles, Saddlery, &c.*—												
Coach and Wagon Building Perambulators	9756	..	2901	..	826	502	28,577	..	180	..	200	77
Cycle and Motor Works	11,353	..	8593	..	7018	3453	70,257	5[illegible]	198	50	207	97
Saddlery, Harness, &c.	376	..	390	..	..	91	2330	242	198	85	211	69
XII. *Ship Building &c.*—												
Docks and Slips ..... Ship and Boat Building...	1333	..	..	..	250	..	4973	..	184	..	199	..

(*b*) See column "Labour Costs" in Table No. 9 for total amounts.

No. 11.—*SALARIES and Wages paid in Industries* (*b*)—continued.

Industry.	Total Amounts paid to—								Average Annual Amount per head to—			
	Working Proprietors.		Managers and Overseers.		Accountants, Clerks, and Salesmen.		All Other Workers.		"All Other Workers."		All Workers.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
XIII.—*Furniture, Bedding, &c.*—												
Bedding, Flock, Upholstery	406	411	693	176	75	..	6463	978	178	70	183	92
Cabinetmaking, Furniture	10,095	..	1395	..	1157	233	44,289	156	161	156	177	130
Picture Frames, Window Blinds, Basketmaking & Wickerwork, Broommaking and Brushware	726	..	586	..	..	210	2588	484	100	81	126	99
XIV.—*Drugs, Chemicals.*—												
Chemicals and Drugs, &c., Paints, Essential Oils	1169	..	1599	..	2951	636	7372	804	199	57	241	72
Fertilizers	..	..	1647	..	400	183	8574	..	259	..	259	183
XVI.—*Timepieces, Jewellery, &c.*—												
Electroplating, Jewellery	872	..	572	..	..	..	3759	..	150	..	176	..
XVII.—*Heat, Light, & Power.*—												
Electricity	..	..	6285	..	1968	100	25,587	..	239	..	253	100
Gas Works, Carbide Works	700	..	6090	..	5301	669	32,574	..	230	..	248	138
XVIII.—*Rubber Goods & Leatherware, n.e.i.*—												
Portmanteaux, Rubber Goods	1170	..	844	..	965	349	4749	35	148	35	161	77
Total	124,538	2997	211,290	3744	147,174	31,593	1,431,688	176,201	202	80	222	86

(*b*) See column "Labour Costs" in Table No. 9 for total amounts.

No. 12.—*PRINCIPAL Mills, Manufactories, Works, &c.*

GENERAL RETURN, 1927-28.

(For Comparison of 1913, 1921, and last Four years see Tables 13–29 following.)

Description of Establishment.	Number of Establishments.	Horsepower used.	Average ** Number of Workers.	Salaries and Wages paid.	Costs of Manufacture (Other than Labour).		Value of Output (Goods Manufactured or Work done).	Value of Production (Output less Costs other than Labour).	Capital Value of—	
					Cost of Raw Material used.	Other Costs of Manufacture, excluding Depreciation.			Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.
	No.	H.P.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Tanneries, Fellmongeries, &c.	3	197	77	18,293	35,380	2095	59,274	21,799	11,287	8396
Bricks, Tiles, Pipes, Pottery	9	389	127	22,815	6512	9178	51,371	35,681	25,638	30,419
Sawmills	174	2882	948	189,732	174,327	18,008	449,161	256,826	42,252	166,809
Joinery, Woodturning, Furniture	73	1863	808	139,143	109,899	17,521	320,098	192,678	123,275	75,168
Engineering, Foundries, &c.	15	323	252	57,727	29,263	5586	107,379	72,530	38,717	39,864
Railway and Tramway Works	6	395	361	86,189	19,220	8725	122,258	94,313	9450	92,398
Metal Extraction and Ore Reduction	3	37,163	1263	348,253	1,095,413	286,957	2,072,063	689,693	342,020	1,219,248
Butter, Cheese, Milk	34	399	124	24,426	272,199	17,577	367,639	77,863	41,657	38,283
Flour, Oatmeal, &c.	10	534	104	26,458	335,989	11,251	401,600	54,360	60,255	51,599
Jam, Pulp, Canning, Drying, &c.	20	1429	700	124,792	348,170	116,675	709,821	244,976	121,336	45,771
Breweries, Cider, Aerated Waters, &c.	21	886	252	62,890	63,419	47,431	231,197	120,347	140,192	171,104
Woollen, Tweed, and Knitting	9	1938	1283	152,025	339,339	50,045	689,806	300,422	281,281	361,228
Boots and Shoes	13	82	216	36,010	49,997	2010	100,171	48,164	17,495	8492
Tailoring, Dressmaking, &c.	52	31	710	84,895	71,872	2105	181,051	107,074	87,847	6529
Newspapers, Printing, &c.	22	372	692	168,328	91,650	7503	318,533	219,380	109,673	132,414
Cycle and Motor Works	60	229	505	100,724	28,725	3373	164,933	132,835	163,409	25,503
Electricity	10	74,235	135	33,940	..	11,636	242,767	231,131	32,920	3,055,695
All other Establishments	258	10,182	2579	452,585	659,392	219,080	1,649,288	770,816	910,074	896,685
Totals	792	*133,529	11,136	2,129,225	3,730,766	836,756	8,238,410	3,670,888	2,558,778	6,425,605

* Including 52,186 H.P. duplicated by inclusion of *electric* power generated by other forces. Net H.P. used, 81,343.

** Average for *whole* year.

No. 13.—*TANNERIES, Fellmongeries, &c.*

	1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7. †	1927-8.†
Number of Establishments working ..... No.	7	4	5	4	5	3
Horsepower used..... H.P.	87	158	162	156	148	197
‡Average Number of Workers ..... No.	90	81	44	57	66	77
Salaries and Wages paid ..... £	10,060	17,863	8868	8780	13,138	18,293
Cost of Raw Material used ..... £	68,969	74,918	47,015	23,281	30,053	35,380
Other Costs of Manufacture..... £	*n*	*n*	807	1234	2564	2095
Value of Output..... £	90,104	104,002	69,775	39,788	49,683	59,274
*Value of Production ..... £	*n*	*n*	21,953	15,273	17,066	21,799
Capital Value of Land and Buildings..... £	10,061	12,584	13,451	10,460	14,983	11,287
" " Plant and Machinery ..... £	10,222	8595	8741	8036	13,278	8396
Hides treated ..... No.	28,969	28,810	11,614	19,954	18,914	19,072
Skins treated ..... No.	29,378	99,731	23,367	13,968	6000	—
Leather produced { ..... lbs.	926,328	490,979	403,858	382,376	433,541	450,000
Leather produced { ..... £	66,241	50,243	26,572	29,072	34,600	45,200
Wool, Basils, &c., produced..... £	23,863	53,759	43,203	10,716	15,083	14,074

† Includes Bone and Fish Mills.

No. 14.—*BRICKS, Tiles, Pipes, Pottery.*

	1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments working ..... No.	9	12	10	11	10	9
Horsepower used..... H.P.	191	454	628	666	483	389
‡Average Number of Workers ..... No.	141	217	183	156	154	127
Salaries and Wages paid ..... £	17,088	43,865	40,013	29,331	30,936	22,815
Cost of Raw Material used ..... £	2806	13,239	9259	7579	6768	6512
Other Costs of Manufacture..... £	*n*	*n*	15,381	12,266	15,488	9178
Value of Output..... £	37,210	77,703	87,270	65,525	65,511	51,371
*Value of Production ..... £	*n*	*n*	62,630	45,740	43,255	35,681
Capital Value of Land and Buildings..... £	21,370	31,138	29,418	30,413	29,505	25,638
" " Plant and Machinery ..... £	12,868	28,510	35,552	39,062	39,576	30,419
Bricks made { ..... No.	12,078,321	12,885,336	12,166,032	9,038,114	9,031,269	5,668,390
Bricks made { ..... £	26,421	43,337	47,266	34,048	35,320	21,977
Pipes, Tiles, Pottery, &c., made ..... £	10,789	34,366	40,004	31,477	30,191	29,394

No. 15.—*SAWMILLS.*

	1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments working ..... No.	122	136	135	175	179	174
Horsepower used..... H.P.	2413	2308	2562	2644	3089	2882
‡Average Number of Workers ..... No.	1479	1325	1276	1254	1350	(*b*) 948
Salaries and Wages paid ..... £	149,612	304,984	290,511	272,166	288,427	189,732
Cost of Raw Material used ..... £	130,281	93,870	121,659	124,857	76,128	174,327
Other Costs of Manufacture..... £	*n*	*n*	12,392	18,774	24,602	18,008
Value of Output ..... £	325,267	476,782	509,545	496,608	(*a*)470,220	(*a*) 449,161
*Value of Production ..... £	*n*	*n*	375,494	352,977	369,490	256,826
Capital Value of Land and Buildings ..... £	61,653	54,823	54,885	49,486	41,824	42,252
" " Plant and Machinery ..... £	176,682	222,731	241,901	188,220	192,192	166,809
Timber sawn :—						
Blackwood { ..... super ft.	*n*	*n*	3,517,209	5,570,461	4,014,952	3,000,093
Blackwood { ..... £	*n*	*n*	75,138	102,728	74,066	49,157
Hardwood (including case material). { ... super ft.	*n*	*n*	44,921,383	46,129,316	45,180,717	48,594,207
Hardwood (including case material). { ..... £	*n*	*n*	359,343	344,068	350,474	362,115
All timber { ..... super ft.	60,780,149	56,674,181	53,266,115	54,593,518	52,057,706	53,174,423
All timber { ..... £	325,267	476,782	509,545	496,608	459,948	434,974

(*a*) Including Value added by resawing and planing Timber in Town Mills. (*b*) Does not include Workers in the Bush (Felling, Carting to Mill, &c.)

No. 16.—*JOINERY, Wood-turning, Furniture, &c.*

	1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments working ..... No.	49	57	63	69	68	73
Horsepower used..... H.P.	315	768	1227	1523	1643	1863
‡Average Number of Workers..... No.	508	650	520	546	690	808
Salaries and Wages paid ..... £	49,475	114,652	103,972	101,805	119,317	139,143
Cost of Raw Material used ..... £	42,837	95,827	101,404	79,489	96,887	109,899
Other Costs of Manufacture..... £	*n*	*n*	4315	8755	12,384	17,521
Value of Output ..... £	108,155	248,247	251,699	227,802	274,588	320,098
*Value of Production ..... £	*n*	*n*	145,980	139,558	165,317	192,678
Capital Value of Land and Buildings..... £	46,834	65,943	78,334	114,073	118,214	123,275
" " Plant and Machinery ..... £	16,650	31,449	53,623	76,313	74,280	75,168

* Output less Costs (other than Labour). *n* Not available. ‡ Average for whole Year.

No. 17.—*ENGINEERING, Boilermaking, Foundries, &c.*

	1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments working..... No.	23	23	23	21	17	15
Horsepower used .....H.P.	353	371	398	417	445	323
†Average Number of Workers ....No.	508	446	387	393	362	252
Salaries and Wages paid.....£	59,863	94,750	86,360	87,135	81,606	57,727
Cost of Raw Material used.....£	44,285	60,061	43,135	47,237	45,713	29,263
Other Costs of Manufacture .....£	*n*	*n*	7854	8621	7748	5586
Value of Output .....£	124,200	191,504	159,871	161,742	152,502	107,379
*Value of Production .....£	*n*	*n*	108,882	105,884	99,041	72,530
Capital Value of Land and Buildings .....£	40,751	41,815	41,617	37,887	40,580	38,717
„ „ Plant and Machinery.....£	52,169	52,208	52,159	48,056	46,945	39,864

No. 18.—*RAILWAY and Tramway Workshops.*

	1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments working .....No.	7	7	7	6	6	6
Horsep wer used .....H.P.	122	216	323	340	349	395
†Average Number of Workers .....No.	295	373	371	317	339	361
Salaries and Wages paid .....£	41,384	89,466	91,753	76,927	81,560	86,189
Cost of Raw Material used .....£	20,905	36,562	32,041	23,659	22,122	19,220
Other Costs of Manufacture .....£	*n*	*n*	2542	6104	8526	8725
Value of Output .....£	66,952	142,391	145,363	114,103	123,208	122,258
*Value of Production .....£	*n*	*n*	110,780	84,340	92,560	94,313
Capital Value of Land and Buildings .....£	*n*	*n*	*n*	*n*	9450	9450
„ „ Plant and Machinery.....£	79,010	90,248	91,847	91,387	91,297	92,398

No. 19.—*METAL Extraction and Ore Reduction.*

	1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments working.....No.	4	4	3	3	3	3
Horsepower used .....H.P.	3682	14,124	35,937	36,877	37,004	37,163
†Average Number of Workers .....No.	1060	444	1094	1215	1117	1263
Salaries and Wages paid .....£	152,421	102,864	282,023	323,981	333,213	348,253
Cost of Raw Material used .....£	714,242	475,167	1,056,638	1,130,818	1,270,009	1,095,413
Other Costs of Manufacture .....£	*n*	*n*	342,264	348,564	329,494	286,957
Value of Output .....£	1,071,053	754,463	2,236,817	2,319,640	2,440,497	2,072,063
*Value of Production .....£	*n*	*n*	837,915	840,258	840,994	689,693
Capital Value of Land and Buildings .....£	36,066	113,041	350,935	414,034	380,080	342,020
„ „ Plant and Machinery.....£	216,629	996,906	1,572,125	1,672,202	1,340,436	1,219,248
Copper extracted ..... tons	*n*	*n*	7033	6483	6860	5636
Copper extracted ..... £	*n*	*n*	371,285	337,369	350,920	269,331
Tin „ ..... tons	*n*	*n*	877	915	886	845
Tin „ ..... £	*n*	*n*	210,000	246,135	230,600	177,400
Zinc „ ..... tons	*n*	*n*	46,035	46,583	48,605	49,117
Zinc „ ..... £	*n*	*n*	1,586,552	1,668,813	1,547,972	1,312,843

No. 20.—*BUTTER, Cheese, and Milk Preserving.*

	1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments working..... No.	25	33	33	35	36	34
Horsepower used .....H.P.	173	265	268	319	370	399
†Average Number of Workers .... No.	74	102	126	116	131	124
Salaries and Wages paid..... £	8054	17,825	22,141	20,972	24,692	24,426
Cost of Raw Material used..... £	117,884	336,720	247,217	216,499	250,996	272,199
Other Costs of Manufacture ..... £	*n*	*n*	14,592	15,933	17,116	17,577
Value of Output ..... £	142,959	391,508	331,988	283,735	344,828	367,639
*Value of Production ..... £	*n*	*n*	70,179	51,303	76,716	77,863
Capital Value of Land and Buildings ... £	18,274	25,883	39,201	42,365	41,626	41,657
„ „ Plant and Machinery... £	17,701	27,613	34,863	37,957	37,027	38,283
Milk used for Butter making ..... galls.	6,324,462	8,354,621	10,384,688	8,096,360	9,984,269	10,544,856
Milk used for Butter making ..... £	*n*	*n*	231,798	199,787	232,524	254,819
Milk used for Cheese making ..... galls.	446,908	728,648	682,255	652,820	733,914	715,889
Milk used for Cheese making ..... £	*n*	*n*	15,019	16,700	18,472	17,073
Butter made ..... lbs.	2,754,855	3,476,277	4,590,505	3,528,412	4,268,936	4,455,310
Butter made ..... £	133,710	360,856	307,600	257,721	316,183	337,043
Cheese made ..... lbs.	442,897	723,599	692,416	656,519	739,812	721,664
Cheese made ..... £	9214	30,472	23,508	25,989	28,465	27,324

* Output less Costs (other than Labour). † Average for *whole* year. *n* Not available.

No. 21.—*FLOUR, Oatmeal, &c.*

	1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments working.....No.	17	11	11	9	10	10
Horsepower used .....H.P.	744	521	428	521	525	534
†Average Number of Workers .....No.	95	116	109	101	104	104
Salaries and Wages paid.....£	13,953	27,449	26,184	25,080	29,190	26,458
Cost of Raw Material used .....£	190,630	472,409	319,896	414,739	370,166	335,989
Other Costs of Manufacture .....£	*n*	*n*	4,951	4,610	5,769	11,251
Value of Output .....£	231,532	537,771	385,849	457,392	436,496	401,600
*Value of Production .....£	*n*	*n*	61,002	38,043	60,561	54,360
Capital Value of Land and Buildings.....£	44,000	27,750	41,470	42,200	60,350	60,255
" " Plant and Machinery.....£	27,685	30,525	30,155	29,720	54,377	51,599
Wheat used..... Bushels	910,390	1,007,139	1,090,150	1,222,808	1,099,954	1,062,651
£	*n*	*n*	280,295	366,346	324,257	291,970
Oats used ..... Bushels	*n*	209,455	197,818	180,720	195,185	196,460
£	*n*	*n*	34,459	41,038	37,120	34,182
Flour made..... Tons	18,545	20,613	21,866	24,774	22,861	21,675
£	168,059	372,869	288,369	318,237	303,609	274,973
Pollard made..... Tons	2,477	3,375	1,692	3,412	3,064	5,164
£	13,927	28,202	17,500	29,269	25,011	39,623
Bran made..... Tons	5,592	6,494	5,577	7,494	6,415	4,487
£	27,964	47,123	34,046	45,415	49,987	31,870
Oatmeal made ..... Tons	465	1,524	1,400	1,126	1,429	1,362
£	*n*	29,965	25,627	23,618	33,796	33,598

No. 22.—*JAM, Pulp, Canning, Pickles, and Fruit Drying.*

	1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments working.....No.	18	24	21	20	21	20
Horsepower used .....H.P.	481	764	1,300	1,381	1,244	1,429
†Average Number of Workers.....No.	578	628	501	553	576	700
Salaries and Wages paid.....£	46,934	88,227	105,798	112,615	118,508	124,792
Cost of Raw Material used .....£	227,736	287,176	277,305	288,938	396,700	348,170
Other Costs of Manufacture .....£	*n*	*n*	89,060	107,338	95,530	116,675
Value of Output.....£	312,692	511,386	525,907	551,073	667,500	709,821
*Value of Production.....£	*n*	*n*	159,542	154,797	175,270	244,976
Capital Value of Lands and Buildings.....£	56,125	111,099	114,658	124,653	126,057	121,336
" " Plant and Machinery .....£	21,430	58,195	45,130	44,183	44,119	45,771
Currants used..... lbs.	*n*	*n*	1,909,894	2,738,072	2,678,861	2,848,891
£	*n*	*n*	25,481	36,821	39,960	38,369
Raspberries used..... lbs.	*n*	*n*	4,175,819	5,423,023	5,348,555	4,528,344
£	*n*	*n*	58,314	69,196	74,410	64,401
Other small fruit used.... lbs.	*n*	*n*	1,181,647	1,238,182	3,365,068	2,463,370
£	*n*	*n*	16,281	16,003	35,605	26,996
Other fruit and vegetables used ..... cwt.	*n*	*n*	151,560	163,412	176,184	276,912
£	*n*	*n*	44,914	47,562	68,447	90,776
Sugar used..... cwt.	*n*	*n*	70,437	59,674	96,100	83,580
£	*n*	*n*	131,615	118,656	177,078	127,071
QUANTITIES OF :—	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.
Jams and Jellies produced	16,672,464	10,264,352	10,483,760	10,457,776	14,991,088	13,900,096
Pulp.....	4,721,024	8,816,416	5,767,328	8,186,192	11,253,984	11,630,080
Canned Fruit (in liquid)	2,926,374	956,137	3,984,387	3,683,272	2,861,619	7,547,244
Dried Fruit.....	337,360	777,724	780,662	905,868	875,140	1,443,014
Dried Vegetables	...	2,280	2,540	23,920	39,688	...
Totals	24,657,222	20,816,909	21,018,677	23,257,028	30,021,519	34,520,434
VALUES OF :—	£	£	£	£	£	£
Jams and Jellies produced	217,336	305,832	368,773	304,932	405,467	373,811
Pulp.....	49,111	155,420	91,751	124,608	146,167	149,150
Canned Fruit (in liquid)	31,914	19,755	88,638	76,792	76,226	137,725
Dried Fruit	10,925	22,809	28,427	33,717	34,242	44,694
Dried Vegetables	...	123	127	996	1,317	...
Totals	309,286	503,939	517,716	541,045	663,419	705,380
AVERAGE PRICES PER LB. OF :—	*d.*	*d.*	*d.*	*d.*	*d.*	*d.*
Jams and Jellies produced	3·13	7·15	7·07	7·00	6·49	6·45
Pulp	2·50	4·23	3·82	3·65	3·12	3·08
Canned Fruit (in liquid)	2·62	4·96	5·34	5·00	6·39	4·38
Dried Fruit	7·77	7·04	8·74	8·93	9·39	7·43
Dried Vegetables	...	12·94	12·00	9·93	7·96	...
Average	3·01	5·81	5·91	5·58	5·30	4·90
PER CENT TO TOTAL OF :—	%	%	%	%	%	%
Jams and Jellies produced	67·62	60·69	49·87	44·97	49·94	40·27
Pulp	19·15	30·84	27·44	35·20	37·49	33·69
Canned Fruit (in liquid)	11·87	3·92	18·96	15·84	9·53	21·86
Dried Fruit	1·36	4·52	3·72	3·89	2·91	4·18
Dried Vegetables	...	·03	·01	·10	·13	...
Totals	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00

*Output less Costs (other than Labour). †Average for *whole* year. *n* Not available.

No. 23—*BREWERIES, Cider, Aerated Waters, &c.*

	1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments working ..... No.	27	24	17	18	20	21
Horsepower used ..... H.P.	195	290	309	336	361	886
†Average Number of Workers ..... No.	259	236	191	175	174	252
Salaries and Wages paid..... £	32,233	51,447	46,501	43,496	41,513	62,890
Cost of Raw Material used ..... £	61,398	95,262	61,070	53,269	48,533	63,419
Other Costs of Manufacture ..... £	*n*	*n*	51,617	43,148	38,907	47,431
Value of Output ..... £	162,891	287,724	245,988	213,120	195,137	231,197
* Value of Production..... £	*n*	*n*	133,301	116,703	107,697	120,347
Capital Value of Land and Buildings ..... £	*n*	86,696	76,735	77,767	75,822	140,192
" " Plant and Machinery ... £	53,434	67,916	64,541	66,405	98,420	171,104
Malt used ..... bush.	63,335	68,750	53,899	43,952	37,770	50,322
£	*n*	*n*	15,846	14,437	11,820	18,539
Hops used ..... lbs.	101,513	103,630	76,295	65,872	61,477	76,333
£	*n*	*n*	13,691	8444	7444	7545
Sugar used..... cwt.	(*a*) 9294	(*a*) 6850	8791	7483	7504	8337
£	*n*	*n*	16,517	13,799	13,688	15,581
Beer made..... gals.	1,852,794	1,468,473	1,276,272	1,052,730	941,438	1,192,647
£	108,080	194,693	174,408	145,184	132,607	157,703
Stout made ..... gals.	50,689	82,285	84,402	59,616	30,780	37,548
£	3682	17,716	13,960	8904	4700	9433
Aerated Waters made..... doz.	262,333	303,665	341,514	357,939	314,995	341,442
£	22,430	30,866	33,467	35,731	33,030	36,910

(*a*) Breweries only.

No. 24—*WOOLLEN, Tweed, and Knitting Mills.*

	1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments working ..... No.	4	4	6	6	9	9
Horsepower used ..... H.P.	181	337	1257	1400	1710	1938
†Average Number of Workers ..... No.	227	240	640	768	1043	1283
Salaries and Wages paid..... £	15,272	46,173	71,134	80,289	129,539	152,025
Cost of Raw Material used ..... £	19,310	35,680	203,700	209,473	304,093	339,339
Other Costs of Manufacture ..... £	*n*	*n*	27,750	40,713	41,274	50,045
Value of Output ..... £	44,593	112,723	343,944	341,477	580,151	689,806
* Value of Production..... £	*n*	*n*	112,494	91,291	234,784	300,422
Capital Value of Land and Buildings ..... £	20,850	27,300	229,695	229,208	262,412	281,281
" " Plant and Machinery ... £	38,650	64,000	297,335	284,941	331,526	361,228
Wool used (Scoured Weight)..... lbs.	552,550	521,853	965,907	1,791,480	2,327,704	2,200,349
£	*n*	*n*	190,752	181,605	227,960	272,958
Cotton used ..... lbs.	..	1000	41,934	14,264	52,207	39,333
£	..	*n*	2853	1057	4240	2719
Tweed, Cloth and Flannel made ..... yds.	276,705	344,544	906,909	843,934	1,408,114	1,469,069
£	19,217	59,389	88,573	91,856	179,982	188,516
Blankets and Rugs made ..... no.	56,358	50,595	79,783	88,598	82,941	70,171
£	21,426	36,034	58,785	55,111	47,642	45,787
Other Products ..... £	3950	17,300	196,586	194,510	352,527	455,503

No. 25—*BOOT and Shoe Factories*

	1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments working..... No.	11	14	12	11	13	13
Horsepower used ..... H.P.	53	79	84	77	82	82
†Average Number of Workers..... No.	217	279	243	250	257	216
Salaries and Wages paid..... £	18,310	33,438	41,117	35,398	36,201	36,010
Cost of Raw Material used ..... £	32,759	55,447	50,057	48,491	51,307	49,997
Other Costs of Manufacture ..... £	*n*	*n*	855	1627	1987	2010
Value of Output ..... £	55,778	112,842	108,262	102,671	100,379	100,171
* Value of Production..... £	*n*	*n*	57,350	52,553	47,085	48,164
Capital Value of Land and Buildings ..... £	15,195	18,748	19,704	18,674	17,540	17,495
" " Plant and Machinery ... £	9752	9288	9672	8887	8509	8492
Leather used for New Work ... . lbs.	*n*		327,342	283,850	340,290	285,358
£	*n*	325,535 lbs.	46,796	44,516	46,908	43,416
Leather used for Repairs..... lbs.	*n*		6760	7020	9747	9610
£	*n*		1015	966	1325	1547
Boots and Shoes made..... pairs	160,355	163,989	156,475	146,569	151,925	145,589
£	53,105	103,512	100,318	97,186	93,326	92,392
Slippers and Clogs made..... ... pairs	400	1156	5845	1759	2994	2560
£	50	389	2715	771	1139	1063
Uppers made..... ... pairs	1806	6053	3574	2926	2596	2350
£	685	1708	1095	899	796	816

* Output less Costs (other than Labour). *n* Not available. † Average for *whole* year.

No. 26.—*TAILORING, Clothing, Dressmaking, and Millinery.*

		1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments Working	No.	67	72	62	53	57	52
Horsepower used	H.P.	12	29	38	33	30	31
‡Average Number of Workers	No.	1111	975	751	691	716	710
Salaries and Wages paid	£	68,932	99,830	90,753	82,028	82,411	84,895
Cost of Raw Material used	£	69,045	132,310	82,436	74,829	73,644	71,872
Other Costs of Manufacture	£	*n*	*n*	1845	1884	1973	2105
Value of Output	£	160,689	267,152	208,184	189,678	188,425	181,051
*Value of Production	£	*n*	*n*	123,903	112,965	112,808	107,074
Capital Value of Land & Buildings	£	73,800	106,169	114,758	104,515	98,282	87,847
" " Plant & Machinery	£	3552	5128	10,006	7725	6920	6529

No. 27.—*NEWSPAPERS and Printing, Binding, &c.*

		1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments Working.	No.	25	25	21	20	21	22
Horsepower used	H.P.	195	253	444	463	336	372
‡Average Number of Workers	No.	743	859	710	673	685	692
Salaries and Wages paid	£	91,389	162,765	162,972	155,070	167,188	168,328
Cost of Raw Material used	£	45,897	145,359	89,946	85,858	87,113	91,650
Other Costs of Manufacture	£	*n*	*n*	5865	10,725	8955	7503
Value of Output	£	179,185	376,271	311,502	298,488	312,951	318,533
*Value of Production	£	*n*	*n*	215,691	201,905	216,883	219,380
Capital Value of Land & Buildings	£	46,704	64,610	98,527	87,281	94,730	109,673
" " Plant & Machinery	£	66,420	77,838	130,606	116,022	121,224	132,414

No. 28.—*CYCLE and Motor Works.*

		1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments Working	No.	21	34	34	49	62	60
Horsepower used	H.P.	49	117	135	204	237	229
‡Average Number of Workers	No.	147	238	308	391	455	505
Salaries and Wages paid	£	14,704	42,637	63,666	70,118	81,966	100,724
Cost of Raw Material used	£	11,782	13,335	15,940	27,816	28,809	28,725
Other Costs of Manufacture	£	*n*	*n*	1828	3327	3375	3373
Value of Output	£	32,127	63,700	91,087	120,215	141,631	164,933
*Value of Production	£	*n*	*n*	73,319	89,072	109,447	132,835
Capital Value of Land & Buildings.	£	27,010	72,142	109,206	124,366	156,846	163,409
" " Plant & Machinery	£	5371	17,267	16,503	22,607	26,855	25,503

No. 29.—*ELECTRICITY.*

		1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Number of Establishments Working	No.	13	15	11	10	9	10
†Horsepower used	H.P.	7628	21,263	72,666	70,766	71,195	74,235
‡Average Number of Workers	No.	212	216	211	182	133	135
Salaries and Wages paid	£	26,910	51,519	47,458	45,636	34,023	33,940
Cost of Raw Material used	£	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Costs of Manufacture	£	*n*	*n*	7829	4812	5501	11,636
Value of Output	£	142,140	174,543	316,932	261,736	227,570	242,767
*Value of Production	£	*n*	*n*	309,103	256,924	222,069	231,131
Capital Value of Land & Buildings	£	9375	*n*	*n*	*n*	27,100	32,920
" " Plant & Machinery	£	211,393	804,359	3,254,702	3,222,113	3,006,111	3,055,695
Fuel used—							
Coal	tons	18,843	2858	...	...	...	100
	£	*n*	*n*	...	...	...	199
Oil	gals.	8960	*n*	11,000	15,285	16,800	23,790
	£	*n*	*n*	542	608	849	1032
Other	tons	29,151	5004	2233	1650	2170	1487
	£	*n*	*n*	1275	1048	1384	1030
Electricity for Light	B.T. Units	2,503,916	4,266,063	7,052,000	5,697,000	6,588,000	10,507,000
	£	36,306	78,221	114,468	81,162	73,300	77,737
Electricity for Heat and Power	B.T. Units	8,048,675	53,586,816	285,505,000	276,324,000	287,752,000	301,246,000
	£	64,153	89,342	178,778	168,944	142,443	162,289

† The figure given here is an estimate of the total horsepower *applied to* electric generators, *not* the horsepower of electric current *generated*. In 1913 and 1921 the figure given is not reliable.

* Output less Costs (other than Labour.)

n Not available.

‡ Average for whole year.

No. 30.—*PRINCIPAL Raw Materials Used and Articles Produced in certain Industries*, 1927-28.

Industry.	Principal Raw Materials Used.		Principal Articles Produced.			
			Nature.	Quantity.		Value.
						£
Bone Mills, &c.	Bones, tons	197	Bone dust	tons	99	843
	Fish Offal, tons	...	Fish manure	tons	...	...
	...	...	Tallow	cwts.	2963	4383
Tanneries, &c.	Skins, No.	...	Basils	No.	...	...
	Hides, No.	19,072	Leather	lbs.	450,000	45,200
	Bark, tons	300	Wool, greasy	lbs.	...	...
Chaffcutting	...	...	Hay chaff	tons	76,077	...
			Straw chaff	tons	3235	...
			Pressed hay	tons	178	...
			Pressed straw	tons	7671	...
Bricks, Tiles, Pipes, and Pottery	...	...	Bricks	No.	5,668,390	21,977
			Pipes, tiles, & pottery	No.	297,321	15,519
			Cement pipes, &c.	tons	1596	13,875
Lime, Plaster, Asphalt, & Cement	Limestone, for lime, c.ft.	70,840	Lime from stone	tons	1771	4475
			Lime from shells	tons	...	...
			Cement	tons	*n*	*n*
Sawmills	...	...	Blackwood (sawn)	super. ft.	3,000,093	49,157
			Hardwood „	super. ft.	48,594,207	362,115
			Other timber „	super. ft.	1,580,123	23,702
Woodwool Works	Wood, tons	602	Woodwool	tons.	229	3912
Bark Mills	...	...	Bark, ground	tons	3787	33,276
Metal Extraction and Ore Reduction	...	...	Cadmium	tons	162	27,247
			Copper	tons	5636	269,331
			Gold	ozs.	1032	8530
			Silver	ozs.	96,518	11,178
			Tin	tons	845	177,400
			Zinc	tons	49,117	1,312,813
Bacon Factories	Pigs killed, No.	15,438	Bacon	lbs.	1,122,048	55,791
			Ham	lbs.	207,515	13,810
			Lard	lbs.	75,284	3414
Butter, Cheese, Milk	Milk for butter, gallons	10,544,856	Butter	lbs.	4,455,310	337,043
	Milk for cheese, gallons	715,889	Cheese	lbs.	721,064	27,324
Biscuit Factories	Flour, cwts.	12,197	Biscuits	lbs.	1,548,800	56,016
Flour, Oatmeal, &c.	Wheat, bushels	1,062,651	Flour	tons	21,675	274,973
	Oats, bushels	196,460	Pollard	tons	5164	39,623
	...	...	Bran	tons	4487	31,870
	...	...	Oatmeal	tons	1362	33,598
Jam, Pulp, Drying, &c.	Currants, lbs.	2,848,891	Jam	lbs.	13,900,096	373,811
	Raspberries, lbs.	4,528,344	Pulp	lbs.	11,630,080	149,150
	Other small fruit, lbs.	2,463,370	Canned Fruit	lbs.	7,547,244	137,725
			Dried Fruit	lbs.	1,443,014	44,694
	Other fruit, cwts.	276,912	Dried Vegetables	lbs.	...	...
	Sugar, cwt.	83,580	Pickles	pints	*n*	*n*
	...	...	Sauces	pints	*n*	*n*
Aerated Water and Cordials	Sugar, cwt.	3277	Cordials	doz.	8007	4294
	...	...	Aerated waters	doz.	341,442	36,910
Breweries	Malt, bushels	50,322	Beer	gallons	1,192,647	157,703
	Hops, lbs.	76,333	Stout	gallons	37,548	9433
	Sugar, cwt.	4940	...	...	...	...
Cider Factories	Apples, bush.	800	Cider	gallons	1500	340
	Sugar, cwt.	120	...	...	...	...
Woollen Mills	Wool, lbs.	2,200,349	Tweed and cloth	yards	227,284	59,301
	Cotton, lbs.	39,333	Flannel	yards	1,241,785	129,215
	...	...	Blankets	No.	61,148	40,480
	...	...	Rugs, shawls, & scarfs	No.	9023	5307
	...	...	Hose and half hose	doz. pairs	12,000	12,500
Boots and Shoes	Leather, for new work, lbs.	285,358	Boots and shoes	pairs	145,589	92,392
	Leather, for repairs, lbs.	9610	Slippers and clogs	pairs	2560	1063
			Uppers	pairs	2350	816
Electricity	Coal, tons	100	Electricity for light	B.T. units	10,507,000	77,737
	Oil, gallons	23,790	„ power, &c.	B.T. units	301,246,000	162,289
	Other, tons	1487	...	...	...	...
Gas Works	Coal, tons	14,164	Gas	cu. ft.	203,351,000	66,566

n Not available.

No. 31.—*QUANTITIES of Principal Articles Manufactured.*

	Unit of Quantity.	1913.	1921.	1924-5.	1925-6.	1926-7.	1927-8.
Bone Mills, &c.							
Bone Dust	tons	364	446	150	237	227	99
Fish Manure	,,	165	...	85	75	18	...
Other Manure	,,	425	...	...	...	...	...
Tanneries, &c.							
Basils	No.	26,767	98,811	...	1860	...	...
Leather	lbs.	926,328	490,979	403,858	382,376	433,541	450,000
Wool, Greasy	,,	144,682	348,044	126,085	75,000	28,800	...
Chaffcutting.							
Hay Chaff	tons	*n*	*n*	62,289	67,982	80,674	76,077
Straw Chaff	,,	*n*	*n*	1880	5541	3081	3235
Pressed Hay	,,	*n*	*n*	345	234	84	178
Pressed Straw	,,	*n*	*n*	7667	8695	13,924	7671
Bricks, Tiles, Pipes, Pottery.							
Bricks	No.	12,078,321	12,885,336	12,166,032	9,038,114	9,031,269	5,668,390
Pipes, Tiles, and Pottery	,,	579,930	381,249	265,646	193,880	199,092	297,321
Cement Pipes and other Goods	tons	*n*	*n*	2265	1850	1241	1596
Lime, Plaster, Asphalt, Cement.							
Lime from Stone	tons	3363	4343	2921	2340	1931	1771
Lime from Shells	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cement	,,	*n*	*n*	*n*	*n*	*n*	*n*
Sawmills.							
Blackwood (sawn)	sup. ft.	60,780,149	56,674,181	3,517,209	5,570,461	4,014,952	3,000,093
Hardwood (sawn)	,,			44,921,383	46,129,316	45,180,717	48,594,207
Other Timber (sawn)	,,			4,827,523	2,893,741	2,862,037	1,580,123
Woodwool Works.							
Woodwool	tons	*n*	*n*	102	188	205	229
Bark Mills.							
Bark, ground	tons	3347	4321	2242	2252	3929	3787
Metal Extraction and Ore Reduction.							
Cadmium	tons	*n*	*n*	163	179	151	162
Copper	,,	*n*	*n*	7033	6483	6860	5636
Gold	ozs.	*n*	*n*	2299	2198	2211	2032
Silver	,,	*n*	*n*	151,295	137,253	133,338	96,918
Tin	tons	*n*	*n*	877	915	886	845
Zinc	,,	*n*	*n*	46,035	46,583	48,605	49,117
Bacon Factories.							
Bacon	lbs.	641,565	678,855	1,045,805	1,375,139	1,025,052	1,122,048
Ham	,,	142,994	162,389	631,666	266,807	246,758	207,515
Lard	,,	68,134	57,251	71,759	82,517	75,000	75,284
Butter and Cheese Factories.							
Butter	,,	2,754,855	3,476,277	4,590,505	3,528,412	4,268,936	4,455,310
Cheese	,,	442,897	723,599	692,416	656,519	739,812	721,664
Biscuit Factories.							
Biscuits	,,	1,408,000	1,463,834	1,213,450	1,402,170	1,253,377	1,548,800
Flour, Oatmeal, &c.							
Flour	tons	18,545	20,613	21,866	24,774	22,861	21,675
Pollard	,,	2477	3375	1692	3412	3064	5164
Bran	,,	5592	6494	5577	7494	6415	4487
Oatmeal	,,	465	1524	1400	1126	1429	1362
Jam, Pulp, Drying, &c.							
Jam	lbs.	16,672,464	10,264,352	10,483,760	10,457,776	14,991,088	13,900,096
Pulp	,,	4,721,024	8,816,416	5,767,328	8,186,192	11,253,984	11,630,080
Canned Fruit	,,	2,926,374	956,137	3,984,387	2,683,272	2,861,619	7,547,244
Dried Fruit	,,	337,360	777,724	780,662	905,868	875,140	1,443,014
Dried Vegetables	,,	...	2280	2540	23,920	39,688	...
Pickles	pints	55,264	11,000	18,000	20,000	36,000	*n*
Sauces	,,	65,304	50,424	31,614	33,000	25,200	*n*
Aerated Waters and Cordials.							
Cordials	dozen	22,217	56,350	7550	7262	7914	8007
Aerated Waters	,,	262,333	303,665	341,514	357,939	314,995	341,442
Breweries.							
Beer	gals.	1,852,794	1,468,473	1,276,272	1,052,730	941,438	1,192,647
Stout	,,	50,689	82,285	84,402	59,616	30,780	37,548
Cider Factories.							
Cider	,,	*n*	27,400	12,754	12,040	24,000	1500
Woollen Mills.							
Tweed and Cloth	yards	50,439	84,174	40,071	129,332	305,317	227,284
Flannel	,,	226,266	260,370	866,838	714 602	1,102,797	1,241,785
Blankets	No.	52,158	42,128	72,921	77,057	69,122	61,148
Rugs, Shawls, Scarfs	,,	4200	8467	6862	11,541	13,819	9023
Hose and Half-hose	doz. p	4950	14,274	15,900	10,342	12,000	12,000
Boots and Shoes Factories.							
Boots and Shoes	pairs	160,355	163,989	156,475	146,569	151,925	145,589
Slippers and Clogs	,,	400	1156	5845	1759	2994	2560
Uppers	,,	1806	6053	3574	2926	2596	2350
Electricity.							
Electricity for Light	B.T.U.	2,503,916	4,266,063	7,052,000	5,697,000	6,588,000	10,507,000
Electricity for Power, &c.	,,	8,048,675	53,586,816	285,505,000	276,324,000	287,752,000	301,246,000
Gas Works.							
Gas	c. ft.	178,866,000	198,914,100	230,250,100	203,440,000	198,820,000	203,351,000

n Not available.

No. 32.—*SUMMARY of Industries.*

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Number of Workers. (*f*)						Horsepower used (including Water). (*e*)	Average Time worked during Year.	Capital Value of—	
		Working Proprietors.	Managers, Overseers, Accountants, & Clerks.	All other Workers.	Males.	Females.	Total.			Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	H.P.	Mths.	£	£
1906	373	(*a*)	962	7479	7190	1251	8441	8180	*n*	980,837	841,883
1907	505	(*a*)	1082	7127	6972	1237	8209	10,071	*n*	834,611	975,104
1908	557	(*a*)	1196	7531	7334	1393	8727	11,805	*n*	1,043,903	972,521
1909	544	(*a*)	1217	8105	7889	1433	9322	16,083	*n*	1,176,619	1,035,690
1910	605	574	758	8516	8145	1703	9848	11,159	*n*	1,021,015	1,020,156
1911	609	501	808	8989	8737	1561	10,298	15,167	10·9	1,050,987	1,216,200
1912	611	496	805	8656	8391	1566	9957	15,437	11·2	1,094,488	1,161,019
1913	623	502	805	8477	8354	1430	9784	16,287	11·1	1,105,711	1,248,688
1914	603	464	810	7648	7613	1309	8922	19,981	11·0	1,144,714	1,191,378
1915	589	410	799	7211	7161	1259	8420	13,348	11·1	1,132,424	1,228,252
1916	568	396	783	7183	7046	1316	8362	13,615	11·1	1,130,602	1,263,100
1917	540	383	772	6924	6860	1219	8079	15,689	11·2	1,127,716	1,224,647
1918	553	372	888	7453	7356	1357	8713	22,439	10·8	843,399	1,916,184
1919	652	447	947	8622	8503	1513	10,016	22,769	9·7	955,768	2,048,322
1920	616	413	959	8853	8746	1479	10,225	24,500	10·9	981,660	1,931,527
1921	686	550	1021	8556	8525	1602	10,127	32,000	10·4	1,169,164	2,927,795
1922	689	500	1042	8782	8453	1871	10,324	39,930	10·8	1,452,073	3,702,469
1923–4	781	606	1254	10,359	10,046	2173	12,219	64,055	10·5	1,806,670	6,439,391
1924–5	675	470	1180	9348	9016	1982	10,998	78,913	10·9	2,104,704	6,728,602
1925–6	727	522	1314	9335	9055	2116	11,171	77,559	10·9	2,202,560	6,704,990
1926–7	767	574	1337	9783	9485	2209	11,694	78,189	10·9	2,449,093	6,411,712
1927–8	792	481	1381	9274	8638	2498	11,136	81,343	10·8	2,558,778	6,425,605

Year.	Output. (Value of Goods Manufactured, or work done.)	Costs of Manufacture (other than Labour.)		Value of Production. (Output less Costs other than Labour.)		Labour Costs.				Surplus. (Value of Production less Labour Costs.) (*d*)
		Raw Material.	Other Costs. (excl. Depreciation) (*b*)	Total.	Per Worker per annum.	Salaries. (*c*)	Wages.	Total.	Per Worker per annum.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£		£	£	£
1906	*n*	*n*	*n*	*n*	*n*	615,684		615,684	*n*	*n*
1907	*n*	*n*	*n*	*n*	*n*	651,844		651,844	*n*	*n*
1908	*n*	*n*	*n*	*n*	*n*	693,594		693,594	*n*	*n*
1909	*n*	*n*	115,364	*n*	*n*	773,424		773,424	*n*	*n*
1910	3,075,762	1,370,775	142,842	1,562,145	*n*	79,048	672,034	751,082	*n*	811,063
1911	3,525,087	1,952,190	140,816	1,432,081	*n*	104,590	723,002	827,592	*n*	604,489
1912	3,871,916	2,286,618	187,461	1,397,837	150	188,126	727,840	915,966	99	481,871
1913	3,782,831	2,083,666	185,681	1,513,484	167	202,327	742,180	944,507	104	568,977
1914	3,667,754	1,992,719	189,012	1,486,023	182	193,341	707,029	900,370	110	585,653
1915	4,215,447	2,193,250	110,803	1,911,394	245	186,845	653,843	840,688	108	1,070,706
1916	4,576,530	2,342,623	116,704	2,117,203	274	191,060	703,511	894,571	116	1,222,632
1917	4,768,000	2,541,175	92,544	2,134,281	283	201,259	680,458	881,717	117	1,252,564
1918	5,684,219	3,230,188	105,392	2,348,639	300	231,613	797,489	1,029,102	131	1,319,537
1919	6,216,554	3,563,137	112,555	2,540,862	314	271,338	1,011,580	1,282,918	158	1,257,944
1920	7,151,972	4,234,308	155,222	2,762,442	297	308,007	1,257,323	1,565,330	169	1,197,112
1921	5,796,625	2,983,265	151,553	2,661,807	303	349,465	1,261,830	1,611,295	184	1,050,512
1922	6,426,226	3,229,460	193,765	3,003,001	323	362,500	1,383,546	1,746,046	188	1,256,955
1923–4	7,801,488	3,781,499	265,409	3,754,580	351	445,894	1,584,406	2,030,300	190	1,724,280
1924–5	7,842,504	3,442,292	774,529	3,625,683	363	442,917	1,546,731	1,989,648	199	1,636,035
1925–6	7,605,194	3,365,049	862,061	3,378,084	334	484,645	1,505,346	1,989,991	196	1,388,093
1926–7	8,104,545	3,685,153	825,980	3,593,412	339	484,648	1,616,157	2,100,805	198	1,492,607
1927–8	8,238,410	3,730,766	836,756	3,670,888	330	521,336	1,607,889	2,129,225	191	1,541,663

n Not available.

(*a*) Included as Managers in Totals.
(*b*) Until 1923-4 only includes fuel. For detailed list of other charges included in 1924-5 and later years see Tables Nos. 4 and 10.
(*c*) Previous to 1912, no amounts for Working Proprietors' Salaries are included.
(*d*) Available for overhead costs not included in foregoing, for interest on capital (including Working Capital), and for Profit; and until 1923-4 includes cost of wrappers, &c., repairs, and replacements, and other costs of manufacture.
(*e*) Net horsepower used; excludes electric power in order to avoid duplication.
(*f*) Until 1926-7 average number employed during periods in which establishments were in operation: in 1927-8 average for *whole* year

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ABSTRACT of Transactions for the Year ended 30th June, 1928.

Dr. Receipts.	£	s.	d.	Expenditure. Cr.	£	s.	d.
GENERAL REVENUE FUND.							
PAYMENT TO STATE BY COMMONWEALTH (STATES GRANTS ACT)	267,367	0	0	**Balance at 30th June, 1927**	209,408	9	3
SPECIAL GRANT TO TASMANIA	378,000	0	0				
TAXATION—				His Excellency the Governor's Establishment	4,947	14	6
Land Tax	97,494	2	11	Ministerial	6,899	12	5
Income Tax	574,902	9	6	Agent-General in England	4,102	10	5
Stamp Duties	216,266	15	6	Legislature—			
Deceased Persons' Estates Duty	99,639	11	5	Legislative Council	1,946	13	6
Percentage on Totalisator Receipts	14,483	17	6	House of Assembly	2,520	12	8
Amusement Duty	17,581	13	2	General	19,089	2	4
Liquor Tax	12,195	5	5	Electoral	4,592	12	9
Motor Tax	49,294	10	0	Special Services	7,788	13	6
Bank Notes—Duty on	0	6	0	Chief Secretary's and Premier's Office	4,013	1	7
Licences—				Audit Department	12,189	12	7
Publicans' and other Licences under Licensing Act	8,090	6	8	Public Service Commissioner	2,089	9	10
Wholesale	700	0	0	Public Buildings	7,015	14	4
Registration of Clubs	225	10	0	Charitable Department	43,910	2	9
Packet	20	0	0	New Town Infirmary and Government Laundry	16,020	6	6
Billiard and Bagatelle	714	10	0	Ashley Home for Boys	4,697	5	0
Auctioneers'	1,702	0	0	Home for Invalids, Launceston	1,694	5	0
Estate Agents'	227	0	0	Mental Diseases Hospital	55,224	3	7
Animals and Birds' Protection Act, 1919	13,259	8	8	Public Health Department	71,497	8	8
Motor	19,620	14	6	Department of Railways	580,980	5	3
Other Licences	208	18	3	Industrial Department	5,048	18	9
Public Vehicles	7,901	6	8	Inspector of Machinery	3,706	13	6
Total from Taxation	1,134,528	6	2	Tasmanian Government Shipping Department	45,495	16	8
PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES—				Miscellaneous—Chief Secretary	9,972	8	8
Railways	553,255	11	8	Treasury	11,239	9	10
Government Printer	30,605	14	6	Taxation Department	23,564	7	9
Hydro-Electric Department	287,963	17	9	Printing Department	25,744	12	0
Tasmanian Government Shipping Department	31,780	9	11	Supply and Tender Department	4,016	16	9
Recorder of Titles	8,548	17	9	Hydro-Electric Department	78,351	15	10
Commonwealth of Australia—For Services of State Officers	9,548	0	11	Registration Department	2,747	10	0
Mental Diseases Hospital—Maintenance of Paying Patients, &c.	8,310	2	10	Miscellaneous—Treasurer	5,536	1	3
New Town Infirmary and Consumptive Home—Maintenance, &c.	4,805	14	10	Attorney-General	1,378	3	10
Home for Invalids, Launceston	840	14	9	Parliamentary Draftsman	1,399	17	1
Education Department	126	7	11	Solicitor-General	3,973	14	3
Department of Agriculture	2,091	10	10	The Judges	7,137	2	3
Ashley Home for Boys	421	12	1	Supreme Court and Sheriff	3,986	12	3
Department of Agriculture—Fees, Stock Brands Act	72	11	6	Lands' Titles and Registry of Deeds	7,925	9	1
Stock Act Receipts	158	2	9	Courts of Requests and Court of Bankruptcy, Launceston	1,324	14	0
Public Service Commissioner	4	15	0	Magistracy—			
Fees, Denison Canal	608	0	4	Southern Division	3,421	9	8
Sheriff	65	6	0	Northern Division	931	1	9
Registrar-General	864	14	8	North-Western and Western Division	904	17	5
Inspector of Machinery	1,306	17	6	Central Division	645	0	2
Public Health Department	622	7	0	Police Department	91,644	16	7
Surveys	2,853	0	3	Gaol, Hobart	10,281	1	0
Grant Deeds and Diagrams	413	0	9	Gaol, Launceston	70	11	2
Crown Solicitor	1,386	6	1	Gaols, General Service	791	7	11
Registrar, Supreme Court	4,834	17	0	Carbide and Electro Products Works	83	7	4
Gaol, Hobart	714	13	3	Department of Mines, Magazines, and Explosives	20,545	0	1
Agricultural Bank — War Service Homes Administration	4,494	11	4	Education Department	297,145	18	0
Steamship Certificates	83	3	0	Tasmanian University	14,341	0	0
Industrial Department	1,789	11	0	Miscellaneous—Attorney-General	2,632	5	5
Stallions' Registration Act	175	7	0	Department of Public Works	7,742	5	1
Public Trustee	1,455	5	10	Department of Agriculture	29,928	19	2
Audit Department	2,127	19	3	Miscellaneous—Minister for Works	94,929	0	7
Public Works Department	271	9	9	Department of Lands and Surveys	10,159	11	11
Carbide and Electro Products Works	854	8	9	Miscellaneous—Minister for Lands	19,313	14	11
Supply and Tender Department	6	14	0	Miscellaneous—General	39,145	8	0
Mines Department	352	0	0	Pensions, &c.	2,763	15	9
Veterinary Surgeons Act	1	10	0	Interest	1,043,044	15	1
Marrawah Tram	6,603	18	4	Sinking Funds	81,959	8	11
Mount Cameron Water-race	913	6	3	Special Appropriation Roads (18 Geo. V. No. 23)	1,075	0	0
State Roads Construction Plant Act	4,759	13	1	Payment for Special Services (18 Geo. V. No. 13)	336	0	0
Miscellaneous	57	5	0				
Total Public Works and Services	976,149	10	5				
PUBLIC INVESTMENTS—							
Interest on Public Account, Loans to Local Bodies, &c.	106,468	11	6				
Interest on Properties transferred to Commonwealth	17,526	7	10				
Total Public Investments	123,994	19	4				
Carried forward	£2,880,039	15	11	*Carried forward*	£3,077,013	16	1

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE, 1927-28—*continued*

Dr. Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	2,880,039	15	11
LAND SALES AND RENTALS, &c.—			
Sale of Crown Land	21,276	9	8
Rent of Crown Land	12,076	13	6
Rent of Auriferous and Mineral Lands...	11,565	9	0
Fees in connection with ditto	1,089	2	9
Rent of Government Property	3,336	12	4
Rent of Police Quarters	332	16	0
Storage of Explosives, &c.	898	18	5
Forestry Revenue	17,498	13	8
Other Fees	1,239	19	4
Sale of Government Property	356	19	11
Total Land Sales and Rentals ...	£69,671	14	7
OTHER SOURCES—			
State Savings Bank Transfer Act, 12 Geo. V. No. 37	2,564	4	4
Fines and Fees	3,169	15	9
Miscellaneous	3,827	1	2
Unclaimed Moneys Act	1,000	11	8
Unclaimed Trust Moneys Act	1,509	13	6
Sea Fisheries	904	12	6
Total Other Sources	£12,975	18	11
Total Receipts from General Revenue...	£2,962,687	9	5
Dr. Balance of Consolidated Revenue Fund at 30th June, 1928	114,326	6	8
	£3,077,013	16	1

Expenditure. Cr.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	3,077,013	16	1
	£3,077,013	16	1

TRUST AND SPECIAL ACCOUNTS.

	£	s.	d.
Balance at 30th June, 1927	491,690	1	0
Advance Accounts	18,187	4	9
Deposit Accounts	29,858	19	2
Suspense and other Special Accounts	482,613	12	7
Sinking Funds under State Loans to Local Bodies Act	1,924	6	1
Ditto, Local Public Works Loans Act	21,040	1	1
Ditto, Special Acts	1,291	17	11
Mining Trust Fund	6,420	10	10
Outstanding Overdue Public Debt Account	4,124	0	0
Reserves, C.L. Act, &c.	10,383	16	5
Depreciation and Reserve Funds	170,161	15	6
	£1,237,696	5	4

	£	s.	d.
Advance Accounts	21,157	4	9
Deposit Accounts	24,884	15	0
Suspense and other Special Accounts	644,403	4	10
Mining Trust Fund	2,365	6	1
Sinking Funds under Local Public Works Loans Act	4	18	4
Sinking Funds under State Loans to Local Bodies Act	1,924	6	1
Reserves, C.L. Act, &c.	12,028	12	0
Depreciation and Reserve Funds	15,160	7	5
Outstanding Overdue Public Debt Account	1,680	0	0
Balance to next Account	514,087	10	10
	£1,237,696	5	4

LOAN ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.
Balance at 30th June, 1927	835,197	18	3
*Sale of Securities	1,840,568	4	2
Repayment of Loans made to Local Bodies, &c.	105,700	2	5
Loans and Public Works Acts	119,624	16	3
Closer Settlement Fund	181,975	0	11
Returned Soldiers' Settlement Fund	381,386	9	10
State Advances Fund	34,183	1	5
Homes Act, 1919, Fund	89,928	4	1
Railway Manufacturing Account	3,780	14	11
Railway Capital Works Advance Account...	1,156	2	11
Railway Stores and Material Account	177,971	0	5
	£3,771,471	15	7

	£	s.	d.
*Redemption of Loans	1,223,901	6	6
Loans to Local Bodies	43,333	10	9
Loans and Public Works Acts	567,115	8	7
Closer Settlement Fund	155,603	5	6
Returned Soldiers' Settlement Fund... ...	372,210	19	6
Homes Act Fund	90,841	7	11
State Advances Fund	99,678	0	9
Railway Manufacturing Account	6,731	19	4
Railway Capital Works Advance Account	1,451	0	3
Railway Stores and Material Account ...	197,246	16	8
Balance to next Account	1,013,357	19	10
	£3,771,471	15	7

RECONCILIATION OF BALANCES.

	£	s.	d.
Credit Balance, Trust and Special Accounts	514,087	10	10
Credit Balance, Loan Account	1,013,357	19	10
	1,527,445	10	8
Less Debit Balance—Revenue Account ...	114,326	6	8
	£1,413,119	4	0

	£	s.	d.
Special Deposit Account, London	579,000	0	0
Cash in transit to London	100,000	0	0
Balance at Commonwealth Bank, London (Public Account)	2,400	13	5
Cash in Treasury	100	0	0
Balance at Commonwealth Bank, Tasmania	340,722	10	0
Ditto (War Service Homes Account)...	215	5	10
Trust Fund Investments—			
Local Inscribed Stock, &c. £356,206 2 8			
Fixed Deposits, Commonwealth Bank, Hobart 4,024 12 1			
Australian Commonwealth Carbide Company—Shares 30,450 0 0			
	390,680	14	9
	£1,413,119	4	0

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*Exclusive of securities issued and redeemed on account of State Advances, Closer Settlement, Returned Soldiers' Settlement, and Homes Act Funds, these transactions being included in the funds referred to.

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE.

REVENUE and EXPENDITURE from Consolidated Revenue, 1927-28.

Revenue.	£	£
Taxation (incl. from Lotteries, £448,525)	..	1,134,528
Interest on advances to Local Bodies	106,469	
Interest on Transferred Properties	17,526	
Interest on Other		
		123,995
Crown Lands (and Property Sales 357)	21,633	
Crown Rentals, Leases, &c.	48,039	
		69,672
Business Undertakings—		
Railways	555,256	
Marrawah Tram	6604	
Hydro-Electric Works	287,964	
State Steamships	31,780	
Carbide Works	854	
		880,458
Hospitals and Charities—		
Mental Diseases Hospital	8310	
Charitable Institutions	5646	
Public Health	622	
School for Boys and State Farm	422	
		15,000
Departmental Services, &c.—		
Titles (Recorder)	8549	
Registrar, Supreme Court	4835	
Public Trustee	1455	
Surveys	2853	
Government Printer	30,606	
Services for Commonwealth Government	9548	
Other Departments	22,845	
		80,691
Payments by Commonwealth—		
Per Capita	267,367	
Special Grant	378,000	
		645,367
Miscellaneous	..	12,976
Totals	..	£2,962,687

Expenditure.	£	£
*Public Debt—		
Interest	1,043,045	
Expenses of Paying Interest, &c.	2280	
Sinking Funds and other Expenses	81,959	
		1,127,284
Business Undertakings—		
Railways—Working Expenses	580,980	
Marrawah Tram	7413	
Hydro-Electric—Working Expenses	78,352	
State Steamships—Working Expenses	45,496	
Carbide Works—Working Expenses	83	
		712,324
Hospitals and Charities—		
Mental Diseases Hospital	55,224	
Public Health	11,242	
Public Hospitals (grants), &c.	60,255	
Charitable Institutions (other than Hospitals)	17,715	
Charitable Grants (and Wards of State)	43,910	
School for Boys and State Farm	4697	
		193,043
Education—State Schools	272,040	
Technical Schools	20,687	
University (including Engineering School)	18,990	
Other—Grants to Libraries, &c.	5090	
		316,807
Justice (including Magistracy, £5902)	25,103	
Police	91,645	
Penal Establishments	11,143	
		127,891
Departments—		
Works—Roads, Bridges, Harbours, &c.	95,028	
Surveys	4091	
Water Supply	..	
Agriculture and Stock	29,929	
Mines	20,545	
Lands and Surveys	10,160	
Taxation	23,564	
Printing	25,745	
*All other Expenditure	181,194	
		390,256
	..	£2,867,605

*Not including interest on Closer Settlement, Soldiers' Settlement, Homes Act, or State Advances (about £186,344), which are dealt with under Trust Funds.

LOANS.

LOANS Issued and Expenditure from Loans.

Heading.	Issued.		Expended. (a)	
	Current Year 1927-28.	*Aggregate to Date.	Current Year 1927-28.	Aggregate to Date.
Business Undertakings—	£	£	£	£
Railways, Tramways	43,783	7,133,955	37,196	6,959,602
Hydro-Electric Works	115,951	3,964,149	50,051	3,593,725
State Steamships	1800	117,435	2	74,543
Loans and Advances—				
Closer Settlement (Trust Accounts)	..	474,529	— 26,372	390,575
Soldiers' Settlement (Trust Accounts)	..	2,657,678	— 9,176	2,290,752
Homes Act (Trust Accounts)	..	257,920	913	217,627
State Advances (Trust Accounts)	50,000	370,000	65,495	219,585
Advances to Orchardists	..	50,000	—442	46,090
Advance to Carbide Company	8500	101,915	— 98,491	3256
Loans to Public Bodies for Public Purposes	86,550	1,533,526	31,048	1,520,555
Works—				
Roads, Bridges, Jetties, Harbours, and Lighthouses	229,176	6,217,110	230,527	6,359,824
School Buildings (State)	59,205	592,330	22,318	596,340
Other Public Buildings (excluding schools)	6810	1,084,021	27,112	1,053,736
Other Works and Purposes—				
Telegraphs and Telephones	..	142,455	..	142,410
Defences	..	129,098	..	128,224
Immigration	..	235,714	..	235,000
Revenue	..	496,272	..	496,272
Miscellaneous	56,465	971,362	41,146	842,378
Totals	£658,240	£26,529,469	£371,327	£25,170,494

* Including £1,656,684 redeemed. (a) Excluding cost of raising £33,159 in current year and £977,147 aggregate.

GENERAL REVENUE (STATE).

COMPARATIVE Statement for Years 1890, 1900, 1910-11, 1920-21, *and the Four Years ended* 1927-28.

ABSOLUTE.

	1890.	1900.	1910-11.	1920-21.	1924-25.	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28.
TAXATION.†								
Customs and Excise	344,703	490,916	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
Land Tax	42,533	61,123	64,932	89,085	124,114	126,251	114,322	97,494
Income and Dividend Taxes†	9397	31,034	115,836	348,005	781,194	721,231	599,550	574,902
Ability Tax	...	...						
Stamp Duties (including Bank Notes Duty)†	21,793	22,809	61,118	148,893	182,996	177,858	220,200	216,267
Probate Duty	12,064	7467	27,459	53,407	88,404	74,370	151,200	99,640
Totalisator	...	465	1935	25,160	31,616	27,723	22,020	14,484
Amusement Duty	...	...	...	16,225	19,224	20,235	18,108	17,582
Motor Tax	...	...	...	11,664	29,235	35,355	42,007	49,295
Liquor Traffic	...	...	...	...	13,732	13,173	12,377	12,195
Chinese Immigrants	...	150	...	...	...	...	...	...
Licences	15,000	14,670	13,685	16,164	35,846	43,771	50,039	52,669
Police Rate (Rural)	8941	16,341	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Total Taxation	454,431	644,975	284,965	708,603	1,306,361	1,239,967	1,229,823	1,134,528
PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES.								
Railways and Tramways	102,642	202,075	276,942	594,843	547,682	543,066	542,165	559,860
Hydro-Electric Works	...	...	...	80,065	229,113	245,196	265,258	287,964
Shipping Department	...	...	...	66,200	42,827	29,713	30,761	31,780
Post and Telegraph	60,102	96,060	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Services rendered by other Departments	24,803	24,732	50,129	74,935	90,231	(e)135,763	(e)132,253	(e) 96,546
Total Public Works and Services	187,547	322,867	327,071	816,043	909,853	953,738	970,437	976,150
LANDS, BUILDINGS, AND PUBLIC INVESTMENTS.								
Interest on Investments, Advances to Local Bodies, &c.	10,039	9943	29,261	83,756	72,675	91,199	93,663	106,469
Interest on Properties transferred to the Commonwealth	...	...	...	18,845	17,639	17,714	17,381	17,526
Crown Land and Property Sales	47,319	35,411	60,894	50,176	26,845	26,778	25,317	21,633
Rentals and Leases—								
Forestry Revenue	...	...	...	20,354	20,710	20,687	18,600	17,499
Mineral Lands	32,646	24,770	20,274	16,825	11,199	11,590	12,898	11,565
Pastoral and other Leases (d)		9262	16,589	13,743	15,879	14,684	15,592	16,646
Miscellaneous	3737	3597	269	1966	1794	3934	3264	2328
Total Lands, Buildings, &c.	93,741	82,983	127,287	205,665	166,741	186,586	186,715	193,666
SURPLUS COMMONWEALTH REVENUE PAID	...	...	228,118	272,514	270,257	269,477	266,859	267,367
ALL OTHER SOURCES	22,381	4155	2651	12,624	23,801	8714	8386	12,976
TOTAL GENERAL REVENUE	758,100	1,054,980	970,092	2,015,449	2,677,013	2,658,482	2,662,220	2,584,687
The Year's Surplus or Deficiency in Relation to Expenditure—*Surplus*	35,354	131,249	...	...	1395	...	...	...
Deficit	...	...	46,871	173,706	...	39,720	192,857	282,918
COMMONWEALTH SPECIAL GRANT	...	...	...	90,000	85,000	68,000	378,000	378,000
TOTAL GENERAL REVENUE AND GRANT	...	...	...	2,105,449	2,762,013	2,726,482	3,040,220	2,962,687
The Year's Surplus or Deficiency in Relation to Expenditure (including Expenditure from Special Grant)—*Surplus*	...	...	...	...	86,395	28,220	185,143	95,082
Deficit	...	...	...	83,708	...	..	...	...

NOTES.—(a) Transferred to Commonwealth, 1st January, 1901. (b) Rural Police Rate abolished, 1901. (c) Transferred to Commonwealth, 1st March, 1901. (d) Up to 1920-21 Forestry Revenue was included in "other leases."
(e) Includes from Carbide Works, 1925-26, £44,518; 1926-27, £42,703; 1927-28, £854.
† Latest year—Income Tax includes from Lotteries £294,525, and Stamp Duty £154,000; total, £448,525.

GENERAL REVENUE (STATE).

COMPARATIVE Statement for Years 1890, 1900, 1910-11, 1920-21, *and the Four Years ended* 1927-28.

PER HEAD. (Based on Estimated Population, 31st December.)

Year— ...	1890.	1900.	1910-11.	1920-21.	1923-24.	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28.
Population—	...	...	...	212,752	219,074	217,032	214,754	215,862
TAXATION.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Customs and Excise (a)	48 0	56 10	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
Land Tax	5 11	7 1	6 9	8 5	11 0	11 7	10 8	9 0
Income and Dividend Tax	1 4	3 7	11 11	32 8	39 5	(d)66 6	(d)55 10	53 3
Ability Tax	...	...						
Stamp Duties	3 0	2 8	6 4	14 0	16 6	16 5	(e)20 6	20 0
Probate Duty	1 8	0 10	0 10	5 0	6 7	6 10	14 1	9 3
Totalisator	...	0 1	0 2	2 4	3 8	2 7	2 1	1 4
Amusement Duty	...	...	...	1 6	1 9	1 11	1 8	1 8
Motor Tax	...	...	...	1 2	2 1	3 3	3 11	4 7
Liquor Traffic	...	...	...	...	0 4	1 2	1 2	1 1
Chinese Immigrants	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Licences	2 1	1 8	1 5	1 6	3 6	4 0	4 8	4 11
Police Rate (Rural) (b)	1 3	1 11	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Total Taxation	63 3	74 8	29 5	66 7	84 10	114 3(d)	114 7	105 1
PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES.								
Railways and Tramways	14 4	23 4	28 8	56 0	53 7	50 0	50 6	51 11
Hydro-Electric Works	...	...	...	7 6	18 0	22 7	24 8	26 8
State Steamships	...	...	...	6 3	9 10	2 9	2 10	2 11
Services rendered by other Departments	3 5	2 10	5 2	6 11	7 0	12 7	12 4	8 11
Post and Telegraphs (c)	8 4	11 2	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Total Public Works Services	26 1	37 4	33 10	76 8	88 5	87 11	90 4	90 5
LANDS, BUILDINGS, AND PUBLIC INVESTMENTS.								
Interest on Investments (Advances to Local Bodies, &c.)	1 5	1 2	3 0	7 10	7 2	8 5	8 9	9 10
Interest on Properties transferred to Commonwealth	...	...	...	1 9	1 7	1 7	1 7	1 8
Crown Lands Sales	6 7	4 1	6 4	4 9	3 0	2 6	2 4	2 0
Rentals and Leases :—								
Forestry	...	...	...	1 11	1 11	1 11	1 9	1 7
Mineral Lands	4 7	2 10	2 1	1 7	1 0	1 1	1 3	1 1
Pastoral and other Leases		1 1	1 9	1 4	1 5	1 4	1 5	1 6
Miscellaneous	0 6	0 5	...	0 2	0 3	0 4	0 4	0 3
Total Lands, Buildings, and Public Investments	13 1	9 7	13 2	19 4	16 4	17 2	17 5	17 11
COMMONWEALTH PAYMENT TO STATE (Per capita)	...	...	23 7	25 7	24 10	24 10	24 10	24 9
ALL OTHER LOCAL SOURCES	3 2	0 6	0 3	1 2	1 5	0 10	0 9	1 4
TOTAL REVENUE	105 7	122 1	100 3	189 4	215 10	245 0	247 11	239 6
The Year's Surplus or Deficiency in relation to Expenditure — *Surplus*	4 11	15 2	...	...	...	...	...	...
The Year's Surplus or Deficiency in relation to Expenditure — *Deficit*	...	...	4 10	16 4	27 0	3 8	17 11	26 2
COMMONWEALTH SPECIAL GRANT	...	...	...	8 6	7 9	6 3	35 2	35 0
TOTAL GENERAL REVENUE AND GRANT	...	...	...	197 10	223 7	251 3	283 1	274 6
The Year's Surplus or Deficiency in relation to Expenditure (including Expenditure from Special Grant) — *Surplus*	...	...	...	...	...	2 7	17 3	8 10
The Year's Surplus or Deficiency in relation to Expenditure (including Expenditure from Special Grant) — *Deficiency*	...	...	..	7 10	19 3	...	...	...

NOTES.—(a) Transferred to Commonwealth, 1st January, 1901. (b) Rural Police Rate abolished, 1901. (c) Transferred to Commonwealth, 1st March, 1901. (d) Includes Tax on Lottery Prizes (latest year 27/4), including amount formerly collected by Commonwealth Government. (e) Includes Stamp Duty on Lottery Tickets (14/3).

EXPENDITURE, 1927-28.

ANALYSIS showing for each of the Principal Functions of the State the Direct and Indirect Elements of Gross Expenditure as modified by Earnings of the various Service Departments.

Functions.	Absolute Cost.					Per Head. (Population, 31st December.)					
	Gross Amount.			Earnings of Departments.	Net Cost.	Gross Amount.			Earnings of Departments.*	Net Cost.	Total Net Cost (including from Grant) per cent.
	Direct.	Indirect Share of Interest on Debt. *	Total.			Direct.	Share of Interest on Debt.	Total.			
	£	£	£	£	£	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	%
CENTRAL GOVERNMENT.											
Governor's Establishment	4948	...	4948	...	4948	0 5	...	0 5	...	0 5	0·28
Legislature:—											
Legislative Council	11,668	...	11,668	...	11,668	1 1	...	1 1	...	1 1	0·66
House of Assembly	19,678	...	19,678	...	19,678	1 10	..	1 10	...	1 10	1·11
Electoral Expenses	4593	...	4593	...	4593	0 5	...	0 5	...	0 5	0·26
Ministerial and Executive Council	6900	...	6900	...	6900	0 8	...	0 8	...	0 8	0·39
Total Central Government	47,787	...	47,787	...	47,787	4 5	...	4 5	...	4 5	2·70
LAW AND PROTECTION.											
Judicial	19,201	...	19,201	1451	17,750	1 9	...	1 9	0 2	1 7	1·00
Magistracy	5902	...	5902	...	5902	0 7	...	0 7	...	0 7	0·33
Police	91,645	...	91,645	...	91,645	8 6	...	8 6	...	8 6	5·18
Gaols	10,352	...	10,352	715	9637	0 11	...	0 11	...	0 11	0·55
Miscellaneous	791	...	791	..	791	0 1	...	0 1	...	0 1	0·05
Total Law and Protection.	127,891	...	127,891	2166	125,725	11 10	...	11 10	0 2	11 8	7·11
SCIENCE AND EDUCATION.											
Education	292,727	31,085	323,812	126	323,686	27 1	2 11	30 0	...	30 0	18·32
University (*b*)	18,990	...	18,990	...	18,990	1 9	...	1 9	...	1 9	1·07
Museums, Libraries, &c.	5090	...	5090	...	5090	0 6	...	0 6	...	0 6	0·29
Total Science and Education	316,807	31,085	347,892	126	347,766	29 4	2 11	32 3	...	32 3	19·68
HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES	193,043	...	193,043	14,579	178,464	17 11	...	17 11	1 4	16 7	10·10
BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.											
Railways and Tramways	588,393	341,980	930,373	559,860	370,513	54 6	31 8	86 2	51 10	34 4	20·96
Hydro-Electric Works	78,352	219,059	297,411	287,964	9447	7 3	20 4	27 7	26 8	0 11	0·53
State Steamships	45,496	4427	49,923	31,780	18,143	4 3	0 5	4 8	3 1	1 7	1·03
Carbide Works	83	170	253	854	— 601	...	...	...	...	...	—0·03
Total Business	712,324	565,636	1,277,960	880,458	397,502	66 0	52 5	118 5	81 7	36 10	22·49
GENERAL PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES.											
Roads, Bridges, Jetties, Harbours, &c. (*d*)	84,731	311,475	396,206	...	396,206	7 10	28 10	36 8	...	36 8	22·42
Surveys	4091	...	4091	2853	1238	0 5	...	0 5	0 3	0 2	0·07
Aids to Local Bodies	10,297	...	10,297	...	10,297	0 11	...	0 11	...	0 11	0·58
Lands, Works, and Mines Departments	38,447	...	38,447	...	38,447	3 7	...	3 7	...	3 7	2·18
Buildings, other than Schools	6,439	51,523	57,962	...	57,962	0 7	4 9	5 4	...	5 4	3·28
All other Departments (*c*)	156,555	...	156,555	75,911	80,644	14 6	...	14 6	7 0	7 6	4·56
Pensions and Compensation	2764	...	2764	...	2764	0 3	...	0 3	...	0 3	0·16
(*a*) Past Commitments	...	49,220	49,220	17,526	31,694	...	4 7	4 7	1 8	2 11	1·79
Miscellaneous, General	39,145	41,245	80,390	57	80,333	3 8	3 10	7 6	...	7 6	4·54
Total General Public Works and Services	342,469	453,463	795,932	96,347	699,585	31 9	42 0	73 9	8 11	64 10	39·58
Loans—Local Bodies	...	74,800	74,800	106,469	—31,669	...	6 11	6 11	9 11	—3 0	1·59
Orchardists	...	2300	2300	...	2300	...	0 2	0 2	...	0 2	0·07
Carbide Company	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	...	77,100	77,100	106,469	—29,369	...	7 1	7 1	9 11	—2 10	1·66
GRAND TOTAL (including Expenditure from Special Commonwealth Grant)	1,740,321	1,127,284	2,867,605	1,100,145	1,767,460	161 3	104 5	265 8	101 11	163 9	100·00
GRAND TOTAL PER CENT.	60·68	39·32	100·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

*Including Sinking Funds and Expenses, and based upon average rate payable on Public Debt and upon the proportion of loans expended (except in the case of Hydro-Electric Works and steamships—actual interest, including capitalised); but not including interest on Soldier Settlement, Closer Settlement, or State Advances Loans.

(*a*) Interest on loans for Post and Telegraph, Defence, Immigration, aid to revenue, less revenue from transferred properties.

(*b*) Including Engineering School, £4419. (*c*) Including Taxation Department, £23,564.

(*d*) Exclusive of £87,372 granted by Commonwealth Government for expenditure on Roads during 1927-28, but inclusive of the £9375 per annum paid into Federal Aid to Roads fund.

APPROXIMATE NET COST OF STATE FUNCTIONS

For Years 1890, 1900, 1910-11, 1920-21, *and the Four Years ended* 1927-28.

(In this comparative Statement it is endeavoured to show approximately the Net Cost of each specific Function after distributing the Calculated Proportional Share of Interest and Sinking Fund against Particular Services, *less* the Amount of Earnings for Services actually rendered.)

State Functions charged to Consolidated Revenue Account.	Year	1890	1900	1910-11	1920-21	1924-25	1925-26	1926-27.	1927-28.
	Population .	142,177	172,900	193,803	212,752	217,839	217,032	214,754	215,862
CENTRAL GOVERNMENT.		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Governor's Establishment		6022	4127	3518	5465	4227	4543	4909	4948
Legislature:—									
Legislative Council		*3764	*9839	4566	9330	10,042	9874	10,012	11,668
House of Assembly				7988	14,993	15,095	15,500	15,532	19,678
Electoral Expenses		...	...	...	1767	3738	4198	1656	4593
Ministerial and Executive Council		3900	3360	4311	4467	3858	4293	4044	6900
Total Central Government		13,688	17,326	20,383	36,022	36,960	38,408	36,153	47,787
LAW AND PROTECTION.									
Judicial		12,862	9071	9129	13,809	16,437	16,835	16,820	17,750
Magistracy		6341	6780	2384	5025	5505	5449	5536	5902
Police		22,783	37,442	40,331	79,372	81,249	84,266	88,725	91,645
Gaols		7922	5323	5243	9773	8703	8622	9679	9637
Miscellaneous		1828	1787	1701	4122	5034	3205	3435	791
Total Law and Protection		51,736	60,403	58,788	112,101	116,928	118,377	124,195	125,725
SCIENCE AND EDUCATION.									
Education (excluding Engineering School)		46,031	58,472	97,151	263,673	290,974	303,895	314,413	323,686
University (including Engineering School)				2200	14,470	15,344	15,590	17,809	18,990
Museum, Libraries, &c.					3717	4957	5085	4826	5090
Total Science and Education		46,031	58,472	99,351	281,860	311,275	324,570	337,048	347,766
HOSPITALS, CHARITIES, &c.		54,034	44,589	48,277	157,661	157,491	163,618	167,563	178,464
BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.									
Railways and Tramways		108,668	116,283	113,157	158,884	340,384	321,585	320,546	370,513
Hydro-Electric Works (b)		...	...	...	13,835	...	8026	25,207	9447
					—3126	36,899	15,815	11,649	9088
State Steamships		...	...	...	—2045	35,021	12,807	21,152	18,143
Carbide Works		...	...	...	...	...	9530	1526	—601
Total Business Undertakings		108,668	116,283	113,157	167,548	412,304	367,763	380,080	406,590
GENERAL PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES.									
Roads, Bridges, Jetties, Harbours, &c.		102,051	141,664	149,742	269,596	345,153	354,487	401,236	396,206
Survey of Lands for Sale		2970	10,527	...	1460	644	204	—201	1238
Aids to Local Bodies		16,279	19,649	16,690	10,998	10,944	10,948	7637	10,297
Local Bodies, Loans		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	—29,369
Closer Settlement†		...	...	4049	—572	11,887	7176	6285	6487
Soldiers' Settlement†		...	...	...	30,981	116,319	99,434	291,769	93,941
State Advances and Homes Act †		...	...	..	— 846	—2688	—2953	—2706	—3347
Lands, Works, and Mines Departments		10,086	9569	17,219	27,143	27,346	27,163	28,788	38,447
Buildings		15,611	20,634	28,360	42,810	59,933	75,768	98,277	57,962
All other Departments		43,828	48,636	38,296	97,682	99,648	54,904	61,666	80,644
Pensions and Compensation		14,663	14,220	13,087	13,912	5678	3235	2845	2764
Past Commitments (a)		28,831	32,174	24,404	10,885	33,661	32,856	37,369	31,694
Aid to Mining		...	...	...	1000	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous		6401	5133	28,828	53,675	57,486	71,337	90,939	80,333
Total Public Works and Services		240,720	302,206	320,675	558,724	766,011	734,559	1,023,904	767,297
GROSS TOTAL		514,877	599,279	660,631	1,313,916	1,675,451	1,747,295	2,068,943	1,873,629
Deduct Trust Accounts		...	...	...	43,403	125,518	111,683	295,348	106,169
TOTAL NET COST		514,877	599,279	660,631	1,270,513	1,675,451	1,635,612	1,773,595	1,767,460
Difference (Net Cost and Gross Expenditure)		207,869	324,452	356,332	918,644	1,000,167	1,062,650	1,081,482	1,100,145
GROSS EXPENDITURE		722,746	923,731	1,016,963	2,189,157	2,675,618	2,698,262	2,855,077	2,867,605

NOTE.—The Works and Services Section of this Table has been revised. Revenue (Interest) credited therein has been changed from "Other Departments" to item "Roads, &c.," or shown separately. Interest charges have been recast in view of information received from Audit Department.

* Including Electoral Expenses. † Trust accounts. (a) Interest on Post and Telegraph, Immigration, Defence, and Aid to Revenue Loans less Revenue over transferred properties. (b) Including Interest capitalised (Audit figures) in 1924 = £10,549; in 1925-26 = £8026; in 1926-27 = £11,649; in 1927-28 = £9088.

NET COST PER HEAD.

	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Central Government	1 11	2 0	2 1	3 5	3 5	3 6	3 4	4 5
Law and Protection	7 3	7 0	6 1	10 6	10 9	10 11	11 7	11 8
Science and Education	6 5	6 9	10 3	26 6	28 7	29 11	31 5	32 3
Hospitals, Charities, and Humane Provision	7 6	5 2	5 0	14 10	14 5	15 2	15 7	16 7
Railways and Tramways	15 7	13 6	11 9	14 11	31 3	29 6	29 10	34 4
Hydro-Electric Works	...	...	...	—0 4	3 4	1 6	3 5	0 11
State Steamships	...	...	...	—0 3	3 3	1 3	2 1	1 7
Roads, Bridges, Jetties, &c.	14 4	16 4	15 5	25 4	31 8	32 8	37 4	36 8
Aid to Mining	19 5	18 8	17 8	24 5	27 2	26 4	30 7	25 4
Other Public Works and Services								
TOTAL NET COST (including Expenditure from Special Grant)	72 5	69 5	68 3	119 4	153 10	150 9	165 2	163 9

GROSS GENERAL (DIRECT) STATE EXPENDITURE.

RETURN showing Comparative Gross Direct General Expenditure charged against the Consolidated Revenue Account for the Years 1890, 1900, 1910-11, 1920-21, *and the Four Years ended* 1927-28.

Functions.	Year	1890.	1900.	1910-11.	1920-21.	1924-25.	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28
	Population...	...	...	...	212,752	217,839	217,032	214,754	215,862
CENTRAL GOVERNMENT.		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Governor's Establishment		6022	4127	3518	5465	4227	4543	4909	4948
Legislature:—									
Legislative Council*...		3766	9839	4566	9330	10,042	9874	10,012	11,668
House of Assembly*				7988	14,993	15,095	15,500	15,532	19,678
Electoral Expenses					1767	3738	4198	1656	4593
Ministerial and Executive		3900	3360	4311	4467	3858	4293	4044	6900
Total Central Government		13,685	17,326	20,383	36,022	36,960	38,408	36,153	47,787
LAW AND PROTECTION.									
Judicial		12,862	9071	9129	13,937	†17,532	†18,826	†18,440	†19,201
Magistracy		6341	6780	2384	5025	5505	5449	5536	5902
Police (b)		22,783	37,442 (b)	40,331	79,372	81,249	84,266	88,725	91,645
Defences (a)		12,699	33,734	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gaols		7922	5928	5466	9773	9426	9446	10,758	10,352
Miscellaneous		1828	1787	1795	4122	5034	3205	3435	791
Total Law and Protection		64,435	94,742	59,105	112,229	118,746	121,192	126,894	127,891
SCIENCE AND EDUCATION.									
Education		41,458	48,864	88,524	245,190	264,766	276,454	283,238	292,727
University			3334	2200	13,630	15,344	15,590	17,809	18,990
Museum, Libraries, Kindergarten, &c.					3717	4957	5085	4826	5090
Total Science and Education		41,458	52,198	90,724	262,537	285,067	297,129	305,873	316,807
HOSPITALS, CHARITIES, AND HUMANE PROVISION		54,034	48,998	53,352	170,194	175,276	178,499	181,797	193,043
BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.									
Railways and Tramways		85,655	160,574	215,530	487,154	535,836	512,351	555,641	588,393
Hydro-Electric Works		...	...	...	39,755	65,170	55,279	71,802	78,352
State Steamships		...	...	...	60,389	69,083	40,048	46,993	45,496
Carbide Works		...	..	...	...	...	54,048	43,829	83
Total Business		85,655	160,574	215,530	587,298	670,089	661,726	718,265	712,324
GENERAL PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES.									
Post and Telegraphs (a)		67,754	84,539	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
Roads, Bridges, Jetties, Harbours, &c., General		46,709	28,315	21,399	32,846	53,283	60,892	‡ 66,376	‡ 84,731
Surveys					6815	4208	3915	4781	4091
Aids to Local Bodies and Maintenance of Main Roads		25,958	16,704	16,690	10,998	10,944	10,948	7637	10,297
Lands and Works and Mines Departments		10,086	9569	17,219	27,143	27,346	27,163	28,788	38,447
Printing Department		10,567	10,848	13,825	29,406	25,293	25,168	42,117	6439
All other Departments (excluding aid to mining)		33,261	40,524	44,489	125,188	150,298	124,417	129,057	156,555
Pensions and Compensation		14,663	14,220	13,087	13,912	5678	3235	2845	2764
Miscellaneous-General		6401	5133	15,825	34,985	20,829	33,102	39,578	39,145
Total Public Works and Services		215,399	209,852	142,534	281,293	297,879	288,840	321,179	342,469
AID TO MINING (c)		...	...	...	(1000)	...	...	...	...
TOTAL EXCLUSIVE OF DEBT INTEREST, SINKING FUNDS, AND EXPENSES		474,669	583,690	581,628	1,449,573	1,584,017	1,585,794	1,690,161	1,740,321
INTEREST AND SINKING FUNDS, &c. (d)		248,077	340,041	435,335	739,584	1,091,601	1,112,468	1,164,916	1,127,284
GROSS TOTAL EXPENDITURE (including Expenditure out of Commonwealth Special Grant)		722,746	923,731	1,016,963	2,189,157	2,675,618	2,698,262	2,855,077	2,867,605

* Approximate, as Special Services (Printing, Railway Passes, &c.) expenditure is apportioned in proportion to numbers in Assembly and Council. † Includes Supreme Court and Registry of Deeds. ‡ Includes contribution State and Commonwealth agreement in 1926–27 and onward.
(Federal Roads Grant, 1926-27 = £45,654 ; 1927-28 = £87,372.)

PER HEAD.

	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Central Government	1 11	2 0	2 1	3 5	3 5	3 6	3 4	4 5
Law and Protection	9 0	11 0	6 1	10 7	10 11	11 2	11 10	11 10
Science and Education	5 9	6 1	9 5	24 8	26 2	27 5	28 6	29 4
Hospitals, Charities, and Humane Provision	7 6	5 8	5 6	16 0	16 1	16 6	16 11	17 11
Railways and Tramways	11 11	18 7	22 3	45 9	49 2	47 3	51 9	54 6
Hydro-Electric Works	...	...	...	3 9	6 0	5 1	6 8	7 3
State Steamships	...	...	...	...	6 4	3 9	4 5	4 3
Post and Telegraphs (a)	9 5	9 9	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Public Works Services	20 7	14 6	14 9	32 1	27 5	31 6	34 0	31 9
Interest and Sinking Funds (d)	34 7	39 4	45 0	69 5	100 2	102 6	108 6	104 5
Special (Aid to Mining)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	100 8	106 11	105 1	205 8	245 8	248 8	265 11	265 8

NOTES.—(a) Transferred to Commonwealth, 1st March, 1901. (b) Territorial and Municipal Police were centralised in the year 1899, the entire cost thence borne by the General Government. (c) Included in Miscellaneous.
(d) Exclusive of Interest on Loans for Closer Settlement, Soldiers' Settlement, and State Advances, since 1919-20

PUBLIC DEBT.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the Public Debt of the Government of Tasmania at the end of each Financial Year.

Years.	Public Debt.							
	Redeemable—			Total Public Debt.	Rate per Head of Population.*		Interest Payable.	
	In London.	In New York.	In Commonwealth.				Amount.	Rate.
Ending 30th June—	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.		£	£
1918	9,637,250	..	5,500,105	15,137,355	76 8 5		601,038	3·971
1919	9,911,250	..	5,370,031	15,281,281	75 6 1		615,606	4·028
1920	9,611,250	..	7,018,788	16,630,038	79 4 2		691,817	4·160
1921	9,611,340	100,000	9,064,966	18,776,306	88 4 3		834,319	4·443
1922	11,611,250	122,123	10,212,038	21,945,411	100 9 6		1,057,680	4·819
1923	11,711,250	144,015	10,583,911	22,439,176	102 9 11		1,086,092	4·840
1924	12,761,250	144,015	10,827,420	23,732,685	108 6 8		1,162,239	4·897
1925	12,761,250	..	11,133,166	23,894,416	109 13 9		1,171,180	4·901
1926	13,361,147	..	10,854,442	24,215,589	111 11 6		1,191,303	4·920
1927	13,361,250	..	10,941,818	24,303,068	113 3 3		1,192,688	4·908
1928	13,703,099	238,364	10,931,322	24,872,785	115 4 6		1,198,703	4·875

* Revised on basis of Census, 1921.

PUBLIC DEBT.

PUBLIC Debt Outstanding at End of Financial Year 1927-28.

Stock.	Nominal Value of Securities Issued.			From all Loans Issued.		
	In London.	In Commonwealth.	Total.	Gross Sum Realised.	Deducted for Flotation Expenses.	Net Amount Available for Expenditure
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Debentures	1,067,000	1,124,548	2,191,548	...	...	...
Inscribed Stock	* 12,874,463	9,806,774	22,681,237	...	...	...
Treasury Bills—						
For Public Works	...	...	...	...	...	...
In aid of Revenue	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	£13,941,463	£10,931,322	£24,872,785	...	...	...

* Including £238,364 in New York.

RATES OF INTEREST.

RATES of Interest on Public Debt Outstanding at end of Financial Year 1927-28.

Rate of Interest.	Annual Liability for Interest.		Loans.			
	Amount.	Per cent.	Redeemable in London.	Redeemable in Commonwealth.	Total.	
					Amount.	Per cent.
	£		£	£	£	£
7¼ per cent. per annum	17,081	1·02	...	235,597	235,597	0·95
6·7 " "	1133	0·09	...	16,908	16,908	0·07
6½ " "	210,656	17·57	2,000,000	1,240,866	3,240,866	13·03
6·35 " "	50,119	4·18	...	789,273	789,273	3·17
6¼ " "	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 " "	76,175	6·35	...	1,269,574	1,269,574	5·10
5½ " "	107,509	8·97	...	1,954,715	1,954,715	7·86
5·346 " "	28,130	2·35	...	526,182	526,182	2·12
5·263 " "	15,768	1·32	...	299,603	299,603	1·20
5¼ " "	133,864	11·16	...	2,549,800	2,549,800	10·25
5 " "	187,660	15·66	* 3,397,213	355,975	3,753,188	15·08
4½ " "	13,966	1·17	...	310,364	310,364	1·25
4¼ " "	5982	0·50	137,750	3000	140,750	0·57
4 " "	169,516	14·14	3,800,000	437,906	4,237,906	17·04
3½ " "	167,644	13·98	4,156,500	633,334	4,789,834	19·26
3 " "	13,500	1·13	450,000	...	450,000	1·81
Free	...	...	...	25,000	25,000	0·10
Rate not determined	...	...	...	283,225	283,225	1·14
Total (4·8748)	£1,198,703	100·00	£13,941,463	£10,931,322	£24,872,785	100·00

NOTE.—Interest payable in Commonwealth, £582,010; outside Commonwealth, £616,693.

* Includes £238,364 raised in America.

PUBLIC DEBT.

THE following Table shows the Due Dates of the Public Debt outstanding at the end of the Financial Year 1927-28*; also the Rates of Interest for Amounts redeemable in London and Hobart respectively.*

Rate of Interest.	Amount of Loans falling due in each Financial Year.																			Total Amount.	Where Redeemable.
	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.	1936-37 to 1938-39.	1939-40.	1940-41.	1941-42.	1942-43.	1943-44.	1944-45.	1945-46 to 1949-50.	1950-51	1951-52 to 1957-58.	1975-76.	Unspecified.		
									(*a*)							(*c*)		(*d*)				
%	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
Nil	...	...	25,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25,000	Hobart
3	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	450,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	450,000	London
3½	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,156,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,156,500	London
	307,099	7449	7608	7877	8155	8443	8741	9050	29,112	10,397	10,764	11,144	11,538	11,945	12,367	68,703	15,229	87,713	...	...	633,334	Hobart
4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,800,000	...	...	...	3,800,000	London
	80,190	103,439	6699	6970	7251	7544	7850	8166	26,532	9568	9954	10,357	10,775	11,210	11,663	65,779	14,792	39,167	...	...	437,906	Hobart
4¼	...	...	...	...	...	...	137,750	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	137,750	London
	...	...	...	...	...	...	3000	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3000	Hobart
4½	8645	5119	104,101	46,993	4535	4742	4957	5183	20,178	6193	6475	6769	7077	7399	7736	64,262	...	...	...	...	310,364	Hobart
5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	238,364	...	..	238,364	N. York
	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,150,000	...	200,000	...	...	...	1,808,849	...	3,158,849	London
	132,144	70,664	73,107	74,857	3071	...	...	...	...	300	1832	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	355,975	Hobart
5¼	163,777	350,562	417,898	240,343	482,778	224,803	114,300	48,030	125,349	...	...	234,334	145,906	1720	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,549,800	Hobart
5·263	13,726	7416	7812	8229	8669	9130	9616	10,128	33,742	12,469	13,134	13,834	14,573	15,349	16,164	94,716	10,896	...	...	...	299,603	Hobart
5·346	23,857	12,909	13,604	14,338	15,120	15,938	16,799	17,712	59,095	21,866	23,051	24,302	25,618	27,007	28,468	167,208	19,290	...	...	...	526,182	Hobart
5½	443,736	2591	1,158,388	...	350,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,954,715	Hobart
6	289,307	482,622	122,148	...	...	...	131,460	500	5500	...	201,390	36,647	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	1,269,574	Hobart
6¼	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	Hobart
6·35	31,434	17,255	18,359	19,543	20,869	22,146	23,580	25,096	85,443	32,239	34,308	36,476	38,877	41,380	44,054	266,725	31,549	...	...	...	789,273	Hobart
6½	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,000,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,000,000	London
	725,420	2694	7832	54,420	...	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	250,000	...	...	...	...	1,240,866	Hobart
6·7	642	354	378	405	432	462	493	527	1804	685	733	783	834	892	954	5833	697	...	...	...	16,908	Hobart
7¼	8324	4629	4970	5334	5731	6157	6609	7097	24,593	9437	10,129	10,883	11,698	12,548	13,473	83,841	10,144	...	...	...	235,597	Hobart
Undetermined	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	283,225	283,225	Hobart
Average.																						
5·0000 %	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	238,364	...	...	238,364	N. York
4·4134 %	...	...	...	...	...	...	137,750	...	...	5,606,500	2,000,000	...	1,150,000	...	200,000	...	2,800,000	...	1,808,849	...	13,703,099	London
5.4660 %	2,428,301	1,067,703	1,967,904	479,309	906,551	299,865	327,405	131,489	411,348	103,154	311,770	385,529	266,896	129,450	134,879	1,067,067	102,597	126,880	...	283,225	10,931,322	Hobart
4·8750 %	2,428,301	1,067,703	1,967,904	479,309	906,551	299,865	465,155	131,489	411,348	5,709,654	2,311,770	385,529	1,416,896	129,450	334,879	1,067,067	2,902,597	365,244	1,808,849	283,225	24,872,785	

(*a*) Amount due in 1936-7 = £138,570, in 1937-8 = £169,734, in 1938-9 = £103,044; (*c*) amount due in 1945-6 = £142,445, in 1946-7 = £400,472, in 1947-8 = £155,807, in 1948-9 = £158,652, in 1949-50 = £209,691; (*d*) amount due in 1951-2 = £31,157, 1952-3 = £32,334, 1953-4 = £24,666, in 1954-5 = £17,496, in 1955-6 = £18,114, in 1956-7 = £3113 and in 1957-8 = £238,244. Total amount of money loaned by Commonwealth Government to Tasmania (excluding London raisings).

LOCAL INSCRIBED STOCK AT 30TH JUNE, 1928.

AMOUNT (under each Rate of Interest) of Local Inscribed Stock falling due in each Financial Year.

Rate of Interest.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.	1936-37.	1937-38.	1938-39.	1939-40.	1940-41.	1941-42.	1942-43.	1943-44 to 1949-50	Undefined.	Total.
%	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
3½	300,000	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	300,100
4	74,000	97,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	171,000
4¼	...	...	...	...	...	...	3000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3000
4½	4849	1151	99,952	42,655	...	...	...	...	...	3169	...	...	...	...	...	42,000	...	193,776
5	132,144	70,664	73,107	74,857	3071	...	..	...	...	...	...	300	1832	...	...	...	...	355,975
5¼	103,777	350,562	417,897	240,343	482,778	224,803	114,300	48,030	45,540	74,214	5595	...	...	234,334	145,906	1720	...	2,549,799
5½	443,736	2591	1,158,388	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,604,715
6	289,307	482,622	122,148	...	...	...	131,460	500	5500	...	...	...	201,390	36,647	...	...	...	1,269,574
6½	925,419	2694	7833	54,420	...	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	250,000	...	1,240,866
Rate not determined	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	283,225	283,225
Average Rate 5·54038 %	2,333,232	1,007,384	1,879,325	412,275	485,849	225,303	248,760	48,530	51,040	77,383	5595	300	203,222	270,981	145,906	293,720	283,225	7,972,030

NOTE.—The average rate of interest payable on the Local Inscribed Stock raised within each of the last ten financial years was as follows :—

Year.	Rate %	Year.	Rate %	Year.	Rate %	Year.	Rate %
1917–18	4·8388	1920–21	6·0408	1923–24	5·7151	1926–27	5·2480
1918–19	4·8917	1921–22	6·2163	1924–25	5·6278	1927–28	5·2490
1919–20	4·8727	1922–23	5·4990	1925–26	5·4693		

PUBLIC DEBT, 1927-28.

Purposes.	Amount of Loan on 30.6.1928. (Expenditure).	Interest and Sinking Funds payable, Year 1927-28.	Net Amount paid to Treasury on behalf of Interest.	Balance of Interest Burden paid out of Consolidated Revenue.
	£	£	£	£
LOANS AND ADVANCES—				
Closer Settlement (a)	390,575	26,231	19,744	6487
Returned Soldiers' Settlement (a) (d)	2,290,752	139,519	45,578	93,941
Homes Act (a)	217,627	14,254	14,254	...
State Advances (a)	219,585	8400	8400	...
Transferred Properties	501,000	* 25,000	17,526	7474
BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS—				
Railways and Tramways (c)	6,959,602	*306,321	...	306,321
Hydro-Electric Works	3,593,725	219,059	209,971	9088(b)
State Steamships	74,543	4427	...	4427
Carbide Works	3256	170	170	...
Total	14,250,665	743,381	315,643	427,738
Local Bodies' Loans	1,520,555	570,247	106,469	463,778
Other Works and Services	9,405,724			
Total	25,176,944	1,313,628	422,112	891,516

NOTE.—No credit is given in this Return for amounts paid to Treasury on behalf of Interest liability, unless the "Profit on Working" (Receipts less Working Expenses) warrants it.

(a) Trust Fund managed by a Board. (b) Capitalised Interest.

(c) The Interest taken is amount shown by Railway Report, which makes no allowance for alterations in rates caused by Renewals of Loans. * Approximate, interest only. † Excluding £71,103 transferred from Loans, and made a charge against Revenue. (d) Including Revaluation of Properties, which reduced soldiers' liabilities by £208,690, and interest payable by soldiers accordingly.

TRUST FUNDS, 1927-28.

Funds.	Amount as at 30th June, 1928.
	£
Public Debt Sinking Funds	1,590,962
Municipal Sinking Funds, &c.	269,123
Savings Bank Sinking Fund	...
Life Insurance Companies' Deposits	72,600
Other Insurance Companies' Deposits	175,000
Trustees and Executors' Companies' Deposits	15,000
Other Deposit Accounts	85,656
Public Trustee Account (principally intestate)*	136,068
Master-in-Equity Account—Moneys in Court	490
Assurance Fund, Real Property Act	38,104
Superannuation Funds†	56,446
Other Deposit Trust Funds	8,220
Total	2,447,669

* Although a Government institution, this is not managed by Treasury. Cash, securities, and unrealised assets (total funds), £575,159. † Public Service Fund only.

INVESTMENT OF PUBLIC DEBTS SINKING FUND ON JUNE 30, 1928.

Rate of Investment.	Amount.	Annual Interest Payable.
	£	£
Amount invested at—		
6½ per cent.	90,052	5853
6 per cent.	419,195	25,152
5⅞ per cent.	14,534	854
5½ per cent.	213,148	11,723
5¼ per cent.	724,038	38,012
5 per cent.	128,264	6413
4½ per cent.	...	...
Total Invested (Average rate, 5·54 per cent.)	1,589,231	88,007
Amount Uninvested	1731	...
Total Amount of Accumulated Sinking Fund as at 30th June, 1928	1,590,962	...

PUBLIC DEBTS SINKING FUND TO 30TH JUNE, 1928.

Amount of Loan Covered by Sinking Fund. £ s. d.		£ s. d.	Position of Sinking Fund on 30th June, 1928. £ s. d.
	Amount to Credit of Sinking Fund on 30th June, 1927	1,494,503 8 0	..
	RECEIPTS, 1927-28.		
	Contributions in connection with redemption of Loans for Public Works:—		
	Act.		
64,450 0 0	1 Ed. VII. Nos. 49 and 13	655 0 0	31,043 15 8
63,019 0 0	2 ,, No. 43	630 0 0	28,255 19 6
49,528 0 0	3 ,, 27	495 0 0	21,556 13 7
34,153 0 0	4 ,, 15	342 0 0	13,833 7 7
34,762 4 2	6 ,, 23	348 0 0	12,363 18 10
172,319 9 10	8 ,, 14	1980 16 5	49,076 19 0
157,917 0 0	9 ,, 51	1579 0 0	44,610 11 2
330,852 0 0	1 Geo. V. 43 (ss. 9), 43 (s. 10)	3438 0 0	89,255 19 5
296,560 0 0	2 ,, Nos. 48 (s. 9, 10), 49 (s. 9, 9)	3368 0 0	80,153 8 7
357,234 0 0	3 ,, No. 49 (s. 9, 10, 11, 12, 12, 13)	3860 0 0	83,733 2 6
380,123 1 11	4 ,, 22 (s. 9, 10, 10, 10, 10)	3879 0 0	76,268 5 5
802,052 4 3	5 ,, Nos. 10, 46 (s. 9, 10, 10, 10)	8150 0 0	143,549 5 2
573,863 0 0	6 ,, 17, 69 (s. 9, 10, 10, 10)	5855 0 0	92,659 14 11
276,588 0 0	7 ,, No. 61 (s. 11, 11, 11, 11, 11, 11)	3690 13 3	39,404 18 0
79,747 10 11	8 ,, 48 (s. 11, 11, 11, 11, 11)	684 0 0	8402 4 11
4000 0 0	9 ,, 77 (s. 4)	25 0 0	265 12 1
403,498 0 0	10 ,, 60 (s. 4, items = 6)	6154 0 0	55,623 15 8
613,947 17 6	11 ,, 15 (s. 4, items = 6)	7477 0 0	56,281 8 10
456,358 19 2	12 ,, 82 (s. 5, items = 11)	7349 0 0	43,835 12 8
346,586 7 10	13 ,, Nos. 37, 38 (s. 4, items = 11)	3987 0 0	18,828 6 3
516,218 11 0	14 ,, Nos. 51, 9, 67 (s. 4, items = 6)	5595 0 0	19,299 10 10
554,189 1 2	15 ,, Nos. 66, 67 (items = 4)	5854 0 0	13,085 9 2
313,834 9 7	16 ,, Nos. 2, 34, 71 (items = 11)	5834 0 0	7132 8 1
350,000 0 0	17 ,, No. 16 (items = 7)	7000 0 0	7608 5 1
2,968,435 0 0	Contributions Hydro-Electric Department, various Acts (12 items)	11,149 0 0	22,875 19 10
10,200,236 17 4		99,378 9 8	1,058,004 12 9
104,000 0 0	Reserves under Waste and Crown Lands Acts	12,028 12 0	384,613 17 4
11,700 0 0	Contributions, Mt. Cameron Water-race (moiety of rentals, &c.)	28 7 9	10,164 4 4
...	Ditto, Stanley-Balfour Railway	..	..
*	Ditto, Soldiers' Settlement (Loss) Account	..	78,993 1 10
*	Ditto, Closer Settlement (Loss) Account	1526 0 0	8163 16 0
142,595 4 2	Ditto, Redemption Local Bodies' Loans, 12 Geo. V. No. 23	1924 6 1	13,431 11 6
4000 0 0	Ditto, Rent Mersey Marine Board—Dredges—3 Geo. V. No. 44	..	1534 15 2
246,806 18 2	Ditto to cover discount and expenses of Floating Loans	4704 9 4	40,923 14 9
..	Ditto in connection with payment of Pensions, &c., various Acts	1327 11 0	..
..	Ditto to cover loss on "Melbourne" and "Poolta" (£71,102 6s. 9d.)	1422 0 0	4640 16 1
..	Interest on Investments	85,451 19 2	—24,059 16 1
*	Discount Purchase Commonwealth Inscribed Stock	0 15 0	..
7000 0 0	Purchase of Cook's Chambers	..	14,551 2 9
£10,565,305 10 1	Total during Year	207,792 10 0	..
	Grand Total	£1,702,295 18 0	1,590,961 16 6
	EXPENDITURE. £ s. d.		
	Payments for Pensions, &c., under various Acts 800 0 0		
	Payments under Secs. 5 & 6 of 16 Geo. V. 6000 0 0		
	Premiums on Commonwealth Inscribed Stock purchased 451 2 6		
	* Paid to National Debt Sinking Fund 104,082 19 0		
		111,334 1 6	
	FUND ON 30TH JUNE, 1928	£1,590,961 16 6	£1,590,961 16 6

* Contributions for Redemptions of Public Works Loans (£99,378 9s. 8d.) and Expenses of Floating Loans (£4704 9s. 4d.). Total, £104,682 19s. 0d.

RETURN showing the Amount of authorised Loans issued on the 30th June, 1928, also showing under various heads the net Moneys actually raised and expended up to and including 30th June, 1928, in connection with Loans, and the Amounts available still unexpended at same date; also showing the Balance of Loans Moneys raised unexpended as at 30th June, 1928.

Public Works and Purposes.	Authorised Loans Issued			Net Moneys Raised.					Loans Expenditure.					Balance of Loan Moneys Raised Unexpended.
	Current Year, 1927-28.	Re-appropriation.	Total to 30/6/28.	Current Year 1927-28.	Prior to 30/6/27.	Re-appropriation.	Aggregate to Date, 30-6-28.	Per cent. to Total.	Current Year 1927-28.	Adjusted.	Prior to 1927-28.	Aggregate to Date, 30/6/28.	Per cent. to Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	%	£	£	£	£	%	£
Business Undertakings :—														
Railways and Tramways	43,783	...	7,133,955	42,003	7,055,592	...	7,097,595	27·10	37,196	...	6,922,406	6,959,602	27·64	137,993
Hydro-Electric Works	115,951	+15,351	3,964,149	111,241	3,772,893	+15,351	3,899,485	14·89	50,051	+168	3,543,506	3,593,725	14·28	305,760
State Steamships (*a*)	1800	—122,938	117,435	1800	235,665	—122,938	114,527	0·44	2	...	74,541	74,543	0·30	39,984
Loans and Advances :—														
Closer Settlement	...	...	474,529	...	474,529	...	474,529	1·81	—26,372	...	416,947	390,575	1·55	83,954
Returned Soldiers' Settlement	...	...	2,657,678	...	2,650,900	...	2,650,900	10·12	—9176	...	2,299,928	2,290,752	9·10	360,148
Homes Act	...	...	257,920	...	255,000	...	255,000	0·97	913	...	216,714	217,627	0·86	37,373
State Advances	50,000	+170,000	370,000	47,970	150,000	+170,000	367,970	1·41	65,495	...	154,090	219,585	0·87	148,385
Advance to Orchardists	...	...	50,000	...	50,000	...	50,000	0·19	—442	...	46,532	46,090	0·18	3910
Advance to Carbide Co.	8500	—302	101,915	8160	93.717	—302	101,575	0·39	—98,491	...	101,747	3256	0·01	98,319
Loans to Public Bodies for Public Works	86,550	—87,936	1,533,526	83,030	1,522,711	—87,936	1,517,805	5·79	31,048	+303	1,489,204	1,520,555	6·04	—2750
Works :—														
Roads, Bridges, Jetties, Harbours, Lighthouses*	229,176	...	6,217,110	219,836	5,935,544	...	6,155,380	28·51	230,527	...	6,129,297(*c*)	6,359,824	25·26	—204,444
School Buildings	59,205	...	592,330	56,795	528,694	...	585,489	2·24	22,318	...	574,022	596,340	2·37	—10,851
Other Public Buildings	6810	+ 950	1,084,021	6530	1,071,501	+ 950	1,078,981	4·12	27,112	—650	1,027,274	1,053,736	4·19	25,245
Other Purposes and Works :—														
Telegraphs	...	...	142,455	...	142,410	...	142,410	0·54	...	...	142,410	142,410	0·57	...
Defences	...	...	129,098	...	128,224		128,224	0·49	...	...	128,224	128,224	0·51	...
Immigration	...	...	235,714	...	235,000	...	235,000	0·90	...	...	235,000	235,000	0·93	...
Revenue	...	...	496,272	...	496,272	...	496,272	1·89	...	...	496,272	496,272	1·97	...
Miscellaneous	56,465	+24,875	971,362	47,715	760,120	+24,875	832,710	3·20	41,146	+179	801,053	842,378	3·37	—9668
Total	658,240	...	26,529,469	625,080	25,558,772	...	26,183,852	100·00	371,327	...	24,799,167	25,170,494	100·00	1,013,358(*b*)

Note.—Cost of raising loans is not included in Loans Expenditure, but is shown as the difference between the "net moneys raised" and the amount of security issued—and is apportioned, from year to year between separate items, in the ratio which the amounts raised for the respective items bear to the whole raisings for the year. * Includes charges formerly shown separately, under items—"Public Works," "Roads and Bridges," and "Miscellaneous." — Indicates *minus*. (*a*) Includes Loan Expenditure on "Lurgurena" (£39,300). Note.—Shipping account (30/6/27) = Dr. £332,767, Cr. two Steamers and one Ferry-boat—Estimated net Lr. £265,287. (*b*) Excluding and held for renewal of Local Inscribed Stock, £176,380, but including amount charged to Public Debt Redemption Account, £216,407. (*c*) Including aggregate to date (£49,780) paid into Federal Aid to Roads Fund.

Redemptions and Outstanding Debts.	£	£
Amount of Loans Issued to 30th June 1928	...	26,529,469
Less Debts absolutely redeemed prior to 30th June, 1927	1,568,161	
Less Temporary Redemptions (P.D. £174,407 + £42,000 − £176,380)	40,027	
	1,528,134	
Less Debts absolutely redeemed in year 1927-28 :—	£	
L.I. Stock, 64 Vict. No. 75	42,000	
Local Inscribed Stock (Friendly Societies), 7 Geo. V. No. 41	882	
Debentures (Crown Lands Acts), 5 Geo. V. No. 46	4451	
„ (Hydro-Electric Loan Act), 7 Geo. V. No. 7	3,631	
„ „ 9 Geo V No. 30	12,805	
„ „ 9 Geo. V. No. 31	25,181	
Public Debt Redemption Account	39,600	
	128,550	
		1,656,684
Public Debt on 30th June, 1928		£24,872,785

LOANS ACCOUNT.

AUTHORISED LOANS ISSUED AT DATE.

Purpose.	1890.	1900.	1910-11.	1920-21.	1924-25.	1925-26.	1926-27	1927-28.
BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Railways and Tramways	3,282,252	4,045,936	4,549,157	6,038,614	7,050,436	7,112,737	7,090,172	7,133,955
Hydro-Electric Works	..	..	..	1,426,200	3,282,967	3,781,742	3,832,847	3,964,149
State Steamships	..	..	..	179,953	300,000	300,000	238,573	117,435
LOANS AND ADVANCES—								
Closer Settlement	..	..	105,000	460,000	474,529	474,529	474,529	474,529
Returned Soldiers' Settlement	..	..	..	2,185,584	2,912,900	2,650,900	2,657,678	2,657,678
Homes Act	..	..	..	100,000	255,000	255,000	257,920	257,920
State Advances [Works	..	..	..	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	370,000
Loans to Local Bodies for Public	..	328,939	1,060,544	1,513,194	1,770,501	1,796,001	1,534,912	1,533,526
Dittto, ditto, Orchardists	..	..	.	.	..	..	50,000	50,000
Ditto, ditto, Carbide Co.	..	..	..	..	..	..	93,717	101,915
WORKS—								
Roads, Bridges, Harbours, Jetties	1,827,380	2,852,673	3,681,539	5,279,134	5,718,147	5,749,147	5,987,934	6,217,110
School Buildings	120,428	160,864	229,013	417,644	526,660	526,660	533,125	592,330
Other Public Buildings	418,896	561,961	720,213	951,246	1,078,701	1,078,701	1,076,261	1,084,021
OTHER PURPOSES AND WORKS—								
Telegraphs	102,471	130,507	142,507	142,455	142,455	142,455	142,455	142,455
Defences	120,868	125,370	129,516	129,098	129,098	129,098	129,098	129,098
Immigration	235,714	235,714	235,714	235,714	235,714	235,714	235,714	235,714
Revenue Deficiencies prior to 1867	146,871	146,871	146,871	146,871	496,272	496,272	496,272	496,272
Temporary Treasury Bills	147,220	..	69,611	..	..	..	..	..
Miscellaneous	130,500	130,500	386,048	568,233	905,865	921,302	890,022	971,362
Total	6,532,600	8,719,335	11,455,733	19,863,940	25,429,245	25,800,258	25,871,229	26,529,469

NET MONEYS RAISED AT DATE.

BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS—								
Railways and Tramways	3,279,874	4,043,557	4,546,778	6,026,240	7,018,690	7,078,157	7,055,592	7,097,595
Hydro-Electric Works	..	..	..	1,423,490	3,245,659	3,721,788	3,772,893	3,899,485
State Steamships	..	..	..	179,953	297,092	297,092	235,665	114,527
LOANS AND ADVANCES—								
Closer Settlement	..	..	105,000	400,000	474,529	474,529	474,529	474,529
Returned Soldiers' Settlement	..	..	..	2,185,584	2,906,122	2,644,122	2,650,900	2,650,900
Homes Act	..	..	..	100,000	252,080	252,080	255,000	255,000
State Advances [Works	..	..	..	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	367,970
Loans to Local Bodies for Public	..	328,939	1,060,544	1,508,174	1,759,460	1,783,800	1,522,711	1,517,805
Ditto, ditto, Orchardists	..	..	..	..	..	..	50,000	50,000
Ditto, ditto, Carbide Co.	..	..	..	..	..		93,717	101,575
WORKS—								
Roads, Bridges, Harbours, Jetties	1,827,380	2,742,097	3,649,205	5,231,766	5,667,167	5,696,757	5,935,544	6,155,380
School Buildings	120,000	160,435	228,585	414,994	522,229	522,229	528,694	585,489
Other Public Buildings	418,421	561,486	719,738	949,125	1,073,941	1,073,941	1,071,501	1,078,981
OTHER PURPOSES AND WORKS—								
Telegraphs	102,426	130,462	142,462	142,410	142,410	142,410	142,410	142,410
Defences	119,995	124,497	128,643	128,224	128,224	128,224	128,224	128,224
Immigration	235,000	235,000	235,000	235,000	235,000	235,000	235,000	235,000
Revenue Deficiencies prior to 1867	146,871	146,871	146,871	146,871	496,272	496,272	496,272	496,272
Temporary Treasury Bills	147,220	..	69,611	..	..	..	..	..
Miscellaneous	130,500	130,500	307,804	446,010	776,666	791,401	760,121	832,710
Total	6,477,153	8,603,844	11,340,241	19,667,841	25,145,541	25,487,802	25,558,773	26,183,852

LOANS EXPENDED.

BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS—								
Railways and Tramways	3,254,409	3,910,229	4,433,470	5,851,065	6,875,327	6,892,582	6,922,406	6,959,602
Hydro-Electric Works	..	..	..	1,996,860	3,256,368	3,415,290	3,543,506	3,593,725
State Steamships	..	..	..	62,545	36,686	(a) 34,614	(b) 74,541	74,543
LOANS AND ADVANCES—								
Closer Settlement	..	..	117,220	352,065	429,640	417,163	416,948	390,575
Returned Soldiers' Settlement	..	..	..	2,371,669	2,581,595	2,546,858	2,299,927	2,290,752
Homes Act	..	..	..	103,371	197,099	217,214	216,714	217,627
State Advances [Works	..	..	..	88,127	108,280	122,402	154,090	219,585
Loans to Local Bodies for Public	..	160,139	718,446	1,251,385	1,531,370	1,604,293	1,489,204	1,520,555
Ditto, ditto, Orchardists	..	..	..	..	..	..	46,532	46,090
Ditto, ditto, Carbide Co.	..	..	..	..	..	..	93,415	3256
WORKS—								
Roads, Bridges, Harbours, Jetties	1,677,492	2,675,960	3,628,898	5,195,375	5,696,461	5,904,160	6,129,297	6,359,824
School Buildings	119,135	167,378	244,224	424,320	514,020	548,219	574,022	596,340
Other Public Buildings	401,924	563,789	705,322	939,671	992,929	1,002,786	1,027,274	1,053,736
OTHER PURPOSES AND WORKS—								
Telegraphs	101,549	130,197	142,410	142,410	142,410	142,410	142,410	142,410
Defences	116,591	126,095	128,224	128,224	128,224	128,224	128,224	128,224
Immigration	235,000	235,000	235,000	235,000	235,000	235,000	235,000	235,000
Revenue Deficiencies prior to 1867	146,871	146,871	146,871	146,871	496,272	496,272	496,272	496,272
Temporary Treasury Bills	7220	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Miscellaneous	130,500	130,500	323,622	431,941	707,636	761,982	809,385	842,378
Total Expended	6,190,691	8,246,158	10,823,407	19,720,899	23,929,317	24,469,469	24,799,167	25,170,494
Unexpended Balance	286,462	357,686	516,834	— 53,058	1,216,224	1,018,333	759,606	1,013,358
GRAND TOTAL (Raised)	6,477,153	8,603,844	11,340,241	19,667,841	25,145,541	25,487,802	25,558,773	26,190,302
Loans Redeemed at Date	99,800	208,330	377,943	1,087,634	1,534,830	1,584,669	1,568,161	1,656,684
Total Debts Outstanding	6,432,800	8,511,005	11,077,790	18,776,360	23,894,415	24,215,589	24,303,068	26,529,469

(a) Not including Loan Expenditure on "Lurgurena" (£39,300) shown in "Other Public Works." (b) Includes Loan Expenditure on "Lurgurena" (£39,300).

GOVERNMENT LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES FOR PUBLIC WORKS.

Local Bodies.	Loans Authorised.	Loans Outstanding on 30th June, 1928.										Amount of Sinking Funds.	Arrears of Interest and Sinking Funds.
		Water Supply.	Light.	Buildings.	Harbour Improvements.	Streets.	Drainage and Sewerage.	Recreation Ground.	Homes.	Other Purposes.	Total.		
Municipalities—	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Beaconsfield	250	150 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	150 0 0	75 1 6	..
Bothwell	6800	1800 0 0	2350 0 0	1000 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	5150 0 0	1560 9 4	..
Brighton.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bruny	400	..	..	200 0 0	..	..	..	200 0 0	..	..	400 0 0	57 6 11	..
Campbell Town ..	3800	3400 0 0	..	400 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	3800 0 0	1102 8 0	..
Circular Head....	3100	..	3100 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3100 0 0	65 16 0	..
Clarence	1600	..	..	..	..	..	..	1150 0 0	..	..	1150 0 0	429 17 0	..
Deloraine	10,950	5200 0 0	5750 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10,950 0 0	3734 1 8	..
Devonport.....	90,300	53,500 0 0	33,700 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	90,300 0 0	32,026 6 9	..
Emu Bay	53,350	17,300 0 0	13,400 0 0	5400 0 0	..	3000 0 0	12,000 0 0	2250 0 0	..	3100 0 0	53,350 0 0	13,880 1 0	..
Esperance	10 200	..	4000 0 0	3200 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	7200 0 0	617 19 9	..
Evandale.....	3000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fingal..... ..	4400	4400 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4400 0 0	1252 0 9	..
Flinders Island ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
George Town....	8000	8000 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8000 0 0	85 4 11	..
Glamorgan	1250	1250 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1250 0 0	399 15 3	..
Glenorchy	162,810	147,812 17 8	..	..	..	2284 11 6	..	..	..	..	150,097 9 2	15,380 19 0	..
Gormanston.....	6750	4750 0 0	..	..	..	2000 0 0	..	..	..	..	6750 0 0	3070 1 6	..
Green Ponds	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hamilton	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hobart	43,200	36,650 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	6550 0 0	..	43,200 0 0	17,541 11 3	..
Huon	21,600	..	17,000 0 0	3100 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	20,100 0 0	1960 16 11	..
Kentish	7350	..	4650 0 0	2000 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	6650 0 0	467 5 5	..
Kingborough	5900	..	5900 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5900 0 0	379 12 2	..
King Island	2500	..	..	2500 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	2500 0 0	387 15 6	..
Latrobe	7800	7800 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7800 0 0	5442 16 1	..
Launceston	37,500	18,000 0 0	17,000 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	1702 9 2	36,702 9 2	23,280 19 8	..
Leven	42,850	14,500 0 0	15,600 0 0	10,650 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	40,750 0 0	8982 11 4	..
Lilydale	3700	3700 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3700 0 0	..	..
Longford	5100	..	5100 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5100 0 0	1024 10 0	..
New Norfolk	1300	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oatlands	350	..	..	..	..	..	350 0 0	..	..	..	350 0 0	5 9 6	..
Penguin	6975	2000 0 0	2425 0 0	..	..	..	2125 0 0	..	..	..	6550 0 0	847 2 0	..
Port Cygnet.....	13,000	5500 0 0	4700 0 0	2800 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	13,000 0 0	2501 1 5	..
Portland	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Queenstown	11,861	9200 0 0	..	500 0 0	..	..	2160 11 8	..	..	..	11,860 11 8	4538 12 0	..
Richmond.....	237	..	..	236 15 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	236 15 0	193 17 1	..
Ringarooma	3500	2000 0 0	..	1500 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	3500 0 0	425 12 4	..
Ross	2400	..	..	2400 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	2400 0 0	1243 10 7	..
Scottsdale.....	14,900	6150 0 0	8000 0 0	..	..	..	750 0 0	..	..	..	14,900 0 0	2445 4 8	..

Sorell	5500	5500 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5500 0 0	855 6 8	..
Spring Bay	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
St. Leonards	7600	5700 0 0	..	..	..	..	1900 0 0	..	..	..	..	7600 0 0	1561 6 1	..
Strahan	1900	..	..	750 0 0	..	1000 0 0	..	150 0 0	..	..	..	1900 0 0	965 12 5	..
Table Cape	24,400	9000 0 0	9400 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18,400 0 0	3092 13 7	..
Tasman	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waratah	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westbury	10,900	4900 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4900 0 0	2074 16 10	..
Zeehan	29,346	..	18,846 5 7	..	..	9000 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	27,846 5 7	7209 17 3	7844 17 7
Total Municipalities	678,629	378,162 17 8	170,921 5 7	36,636 15 0	..	17,284 11 6	19,285 11 8	3750 0 0	6550 0 0	4802 9 2	637,393 10 7	160,865 10 1	7844 17 7	
Marine Boards, &c.—														
Burnie	230,000	..	..	..	230,000 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	230,000 0 0	19,592 6 7	21,342 3 3	
Circular Head (Stanley)	26,000	..	..	..	26,000 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	26,000 0 0	2109 11 8	..	
Hobart	20,039	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Launceston	378,239	..	..	..	327,981 17 4	..	..	..	..	..	327,981 17 4	43,113 15 4	..	
Leven (Ulverstone)	35,570	..	..	..	29,988 8 10	..	..	..	..	..	29,988 8 10	2712 9 10	1247 7 0	
Mersey (Devonport)	155,000	..	..	..	155,000 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	155,000 0 0	33,206 3 3	..	
King Island	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
N.E. (Bridport)	3750	..	..	..	3750 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	3750 0 0	207 16 5	1610 15 0	
Smithton	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Strahan	19,801	..	..	..	19,801 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	19,801 0 0	4007 11 9	7351 5 8	
Total	868,999	..	..	..	792,521 6 2	..	..	..	..	..	792,521 6 2	104,949 14 10	31,551 10 11	
Water Districts—														
Cressy	1500	1500 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1500 0 0	846 13 11	..	
Evandale	3100	3100 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3100 0 0	1247 9 0	485 10 0	
Longford	5400	5400 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5400 0 0	2939 17 1	..	
St Helens	100	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Midland (Trust)	5000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Perth (Trust)	3200	3200 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3200 0 0	882 1 5	..	
Total	18,300	13,200 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13,200 0 0	5916 1 5	485 10 0	
Other Bodies—														
Cemeteries:														
Fingal	50	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
St. Marys	50	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Fire Brigade, Hobart	15,000	..	..	15,000 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	15,000 0 0	2113 15 3	..	
Dalmayne Colliery Ltd	2000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2000 0 0	2000 0 0	547 9 3	240 0 0	
Freezing — N.W. Co-op Co.	10,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10,000 0 0	10,000 0 0	..	14,025 0 0	
Carbide Co.	93,415	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	93,415 0 11	93,415 0 11	..	..	
Tas. Smelting Co.	16,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12,000 0 0	12,000 0 0	..	..	
Bursaries Board	35,500	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	35,500 0 0	35,500 0 0	..	1000 0 0	
Mowbray Drainage	3625	..	..	..	..	..	3625 0 0	..	..	..	3625 0 0	182 13 2	532 8 4	
L'ston Hospital	4000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4000 0 0	4000 0 0	..	..	
Total	179,640	..	..	15,000 0 0	..	..	3625 0 0	..	..	156,915 0 11	175,540 0 11	2843 17 8	15,797 8 4	
GRAND TOTAL	1,745,568	391,362 17 8	170,921 5 7	51,636 15 0	792,521 6 2	17,284 11 6	22,910 11 8	3750 0 0	6550 0 0	161,717 10 0	1,618,654 17 8	274,575 4 0	55,679 6 5	

NOTE.—See also other Local Bodies for Loans within Municipalities.

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

Showing Surpluses and Deficiencies during period 1891 *to* 1927-28.

Year.	Revenue.	Expenditure.	Year's— Surplus.	Year's— Deficiency.	Aggregate Deficiency at end of Year. Amount.
	£	£	£	£	£
At beginning of year 1891	...	...	...	...	132,768
At end of year 1891	944,617	913,356	31,261	...	101,507
„ 1892	783,235	915,613	...	132,378	233,885
„ 1893	704,641	832,874	...	128,233	362,118
„ 1894	696,795	789,805	...	93,010	455,128
„ 1895	761,971	748,946	13,025	...	442,103
„ 1896	797,976	750,244	47,732	...	394,371
„ 1897	845,020	785,026	59,994	...	334,377
„ 1898	908,223	830,168	78,055	...	256,322
„ 1899	943,970	871,453	72,517	...	183,805
„ 1900	1,054,980	923,731	131,249	...	52,556
„ 1901	826,163	870,442	...	44,279	96,835
„ 1902	734,663	850,684	...	116,021	212,856
„ 1903	857,667	879,356	...	21,689	234,545
1904 (6 months)	426,139	421,037	5102	...	229,443
1904–5	852,681	840,185	12,496	...	216,947
1905–6	900,658	853,147	47,511	...	169,436
1906–7	970,843	913,762	57,081	..	112,355
1907–8	1,005,273	929,985	75,288	...	37,067
1908–9	934,432	960,247	...	25,815	62,882
1909–10	1,008,932	997,321	11,611	...	51,271
1910–11	970,092	1,016,956	...	46,864	98,135
1911–12	1,084,663	1,064,725	19,938	...	78,197
1912–13†	1,206,292	1,095,883	110,409	...	*32,212
1913–14†	1,238,086	1,235,013	3073	...	*35,285
1914–15†	1,244,095	1,384,150	...	140,055	104,770
1915–16†	1,376,493	1,340,711	35,782	...	68,988
1916–17†	1,369,368	1,412,893	...	43,525	112,513
1917–18†	1,503,047	1,459,748	43,299	...	69,213
1918–19†	1,581,984	1,644,512	...	62,528	131,741
1919–20†	1,815,031	1,828,301	...	13,270	145,011
1920–21†	2,105,449	2,189,156	...	83,707	228,719
1921–22†	2,181,395	2,302,077	...	120,682	349,401
1922–23†	2,174,062	2,472,523	...	298,461	647,862
1923–24†	2,447,677	2,658,382	...	210,705	858,567
1924–25†	2,762,013	2,675,618	86,395	...	772,172
1925–26†	2,726,482	2,698,262	28,220	...	743,952
1926–27†	3,040,220	2,855,077	185,143	..	558,809
1927-28	2,962,687	2,867,605	95,082	...	463,727
TOTAL FOR PERIOD	50,748,015	51,078,972	1,250,263	1,581,222	...
Average for period of 37½ years	...	...	...	...	256,110

* Surplus. † Including Special Grant (Commonwealth) and Expenditure from same.

NOTE.—Revenue and Expenditure prior to 1891 are not included in additions; but the deficiency at that date is included in the total deficiency.

LAND TAX.

SUMMARY Showing the Amount of Tax Assessed, the Amounts Collected and Outstanding from the Year 1913.

Year.	Taxable Amount Unimproved Value of Holdings— Under £2500.	Over £2500.	Tax Assessed on Holdings— Under £2500.	Over £2500.	Amount of Tax— Collected.	Outstanding.
	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1913	8,312,341	8,333,525	34,634 15 1	47,408 0 5	78,684 13 4	3358 2 2
1914	8,402,224	8,260,252	35,009 5 4	46,638 1 4	79,497 3 9	2150 2 11
1915	8,656,957	8,151,564	36,070 13 1	45,525 1 0	80,685 7 11	910 6 2
1916	9,139,053	8,262,091	38,079 7 9	45,636 17 0	83,414 13 0	332 3 1
1917	9,562,772	8,229,207	39,844 17 8	45,218 1 3	84,231 9 6	830 13 4
1918	9,826,362	8,444,233	40,943 3 6	46,468 11 4	86,200 19 5	1209 19 0
1919	10,169,251	8,333,390	42,371 17 7	45,612 2 3	86,982 15 1	1000 4 10
1920	10,515,408	8,732,194	43,814 4 0	47,857 0 5	88,397 14 3	3273 10 0
1921	11,026,459	9,178,496	45,943 11 7	50,052 15 7	94,287 6 0	1709 1 2
1922	11,402,490	9,378,591	47,510 7 6	51,026 3 2	96,021 2 6	2515 8 2
1923	11,839,458	9,659,299	49,331 1 6	72,578 5 9	118,670 12 6	3234 11 3
1924	12,333,654	9,909,445	51,390 4 6	74,058 15 4	121,824 8 10	3618 1 2
1925	12,660,532	10,021,276	52,752 4 4	74,892 2 5	123,668 15 9	3975 11 0
1926	12,734,955	10,019,724	53,062 6 3	61,456 7 11	114,322 0 10	4280 1 3
1927	12,709,550	10,084,266	39,717 6 11	57,722 8 7	97,565 13 8	2264 4 0

ESTIMATED CAPITAL VALUE OF LAND, YEAR 1927.

Districts.	Capital Value of Land and Improvements.		Estimated Capital Value of Unimproved Moiety.		Percentage of Unimproved Value to Total Capital Value.
	Amount.	Per Cent.	Amount.	Per Cent.	
	£	%	£	%	%
Chief Cities and Suburbs (6)	20,884,211	41·68	8,336,316	36·46	39·92
Four typical Fruit Districts (*a*)	3,162,289	6·31	892,869	3·90	28·24
Five typical Mining Districts (*b*)	450,987	0·90	132,189	0·58	29·32
Three typical Pastoral Districts (*c*)	2,723,015	5·44	1,545,988	6·76	56·78
Nine typical Pastoral and Agricultural Districts (*d*)	8,307,685	16·58	4,540,489	19·86	54·68
All other Districts (24)	14,579,766	29·09	7,419,339	32·44	50·89
All Districts (51)	50,107,953	100·00	22,867,190	100·00	45·64

(*a*) Huon, New Norfolk, Port Cygnet, Kingborough. (*b*) Gormanston, Queenstown, Strahan, Waratah, Zeehan. (*c*) Oatlands Hamilton, Ross. (*d*) Deloraine, Leven, Longford, Latrobe, Evandale, Kentish, Richmond, Sorell, Westbury. (6) Including St. Leonards.

LAND TAX.

NUMBER OF TAXPAYERS.

Unimproved Value.	1918–19.	1919–20.	1920–21.	1921–22.	1922–23.	1923–24.	1924–25.	1925–26.	1926–27.	1927–28.
£2500 and under £ £ ..	31,354	31,993	32,532	33,613	35,036	36,567	37,285	37,763	38,104	38,141
Over 2500 – 5000 ..	730	782	813	854	852	884	915	920	928	942
„ 5000–15,000 ..	427	415	438	453	479	490	516	527	519	535
„ 15,000–30,000 ..	67	58	59	74	74	78	71	72	77	71
„ 30,000–50000 ..	11	13	12	11	14	15	15	15	12	13
„ 50,000–50,000 ..	7	3	3	4	3	4	4	4	4	3
£80,000 and over ..	2	3	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Total over £2500.	1244	1274	1329	1399	1425	1474	1524	1541	1543	1567
Grand Total	32,598	33,267	33,861	35,012	36,461	38,041	38,809	39,30x	39,647	39,708

NOTE.—There were no exemptions from Land Tax on account of taxpayers being on Active Service; but land held under Repatriation Act is exempt from Land Tax for four years.

AVERAGE TAX PER TAXPAYER.

Unimproved Value.	1918–19.	1919–20.	1920–21.	1921–22.	1922–23.	1923–24.	1924–25.	1925–26.	1926–27.	1927–28.
£2500 and under £ £	£ s. d. 1 6 1	£ s. d. 1 6 6	£ s. d. 1 6 11	£ s. d. 1 7 4	£ s. d. 1 7 1	£ s. d. 1 7 0	£ s. d. 1 7 7	£ s. d. 1 7 11	£ s. d. 1 7 10	£ s. d. 1 0 10
Over 2500 – 5000 ..	15 4 5	15 4 10	15 6 4	15 8 3	15 11 7	16 16 3	16 16 9	16 13 4	15 16 11	13 3 2
„ 5000–15,000 ..	43 0 6	43 2 7	43 13 0	42 14 11	41 16 0	54 6 10	55 3 2	55 3 9	47 2 6	44 4 7
„ 15,000–30,000 ..	121 18 10	123 7 8	121 16 5	123 18 3	124 5 7	192 3 9	197 8 11	198 13 3	152 3 8	151 4 7
„ 30,000–50,000 ..	262 0 4	264 4 7	268 1 6	261 1 10	258 4 2	410 5 9	417 3 1	426 11 5	302 12 1	343 11 6
„ 50,000–80,000 ..	441 14 6	526 17 10	510 2 2	485 11 10	516 4 0	872 11 6	874 15 0	843 18 1	585 16 4	631 11 4
£80,000 and over ..	1420 13 8	1203 14 3	1087 11 8	1180 12 11	1126 6 5	2150 13 2	2138 18 3	2132 16 7	1533 8 4	1524 1 6
Total over £2500.	37 7 1	35 16 0	36 0 2	35 15 7	35 16 1	49 4 10	48 11 11	48 12 0	39 16 7	36 16 9
Grand Total	2 13 8	2 12 11	2 14 2	2 14 10	2 14 1	3 4 1	3 4 8	3 4 11	2 17 9	2 9 1

TOTAL AMOUNT OF TAX.

Unimproved Value.	1918–19.	1919–20.	1920–21.	1921–22.	1922–23.	1923–24.	1924–25.	1925–26.	1926–27.	1927–28.
£2500 and under £ £ ..	£ 40,943	£ 42,372	£ 43,814	£ 45,943	£ 47,510	£ 49,331	£ 51,390	£ 52,752	£ 53,062	£ 39,717
Over 2500 – 5000 ..	11,111	11,920	12,454	13,162	13,271	14,862	15,406	15,332	14,706	12,392
„ 5000–15,000 ..	18,372	17,909	19,119	19,365	20,015	26,629	28,461	29,084	24,458	23,661
„ 15,000–30,000 ..	8170	7156	7187	9170	9198	14,991	14,018	14,304	11,718	10,736
„ 30,000–50,000	2882	3435	3217	2872	3615	6154	6258	6398	3631	4467
„ 50,000–80,000	3092	1581	1530	1942	1548	3490	3499	3376	2343	1895
£80,000 and over ..	2842	3611	4350	3542	3379	6452	6417	6398	4600	4572
Total over £2500.	46,469	45,612	47,857	50,053	51,026	72,578	74,059	74,892	61,456	57,723
Grand Total	87,412	87,984	91,671	95,996	98,536	121,909	125,449	127,644	114,518	97,440

RETURN showing Capital Value, Value of Improvements, and Unimproved Value of the Properties in each District for the Years 1925, 1926, *and* 1927.

District.	1925.			1926.			1927.		
	Capital Value.	Value of Improvements.	Unimproved Value.	Capital Value.	Value of Improvements.	Unimproved Value.	Capital Value.	Value of Improvements.	Unimproved Value.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Beaconsfield	791,270	429,629	361,641	755,585	412,051	343,534	724,735	400,434	324,301
Bothwell	795,162	236,845	558,317	799,912	233,921	565,991	803,219	237,660	565,589
Brighton	589,659	297,231	292,428	590,079	295,206	294,873	593,243	295,207	298,036
Bruny	97,000	60,495	36,505	99,502	63,214	36,288	100,420	64,183	36,237
Campbell Town	687,212	222,672	464,540	689,683	223,210	466,473	684,630	224,720	459,910
Circular Head	1,225,667	585,012	640,655	1,253,192	601,451	651,741	1,272,906	616,131	656,775
Clarence	838,767	539,180	299,587	847,218	546,090	301,128	853,617	551,689	301,928
Deloraine	1,092,309	508,064	584,245	1,091,239	507,458	583,781	1,091,221	507,480	583,741
Devonport	1,191,558	691,190	500,368	1,194,788	696,396	498,392	1,191,893	697,471	494,422
Emu Bay	1,622,174	876,841	745,333	1,648,732	884,207	764,525	1,674,135	896,468	777,667
Esperance	448,513	326,355	122,158	452,253	329,389	122,864	449,898	327,301	122,597
Evandale	746,499	217,874	528,625	754,323	218,462	535,861	776,018	221,514	554,504
Fingal	561,051	224,794	336,257	566,888	227,677	339,211	582,596	238,210	344,386
Flinders	218,943	82,461	136,482	228,167	86,936	141,231	221,373	84,849	136,524
George Town	193,317	88,344	104,973	185,900	83,313	102,587	186,554	84,029	102,525
Glamorgan	230,715	95,412	135,303	233,048	97,694	135,354	237,901	99,929	137,972
Glenorchy	2,234,536	1,287,089	947,447	2,224,118	1,301,114	923,004	2,134,128	1,223,698	910,430
Gormanston	24,321	20,857	3,464	22,775	19,357	3,418	22,492	19,137	3,355
Green Ponds	354,906	172,005	182,901	357,525	171,393	186,132	372,692	176,857	195,835
Hamilton	882,802	350,070	532,732	890,484	352,928	537,556	907,938	361,885	546,053
Hobart	8,280,405	4,716,251	3,564,154	8,369,094	4,797,897	3,571,197	8,444,967	4,865,257	3,579,710
Huon	899,806	679,469	220,337	901,614	680,565	221,049	906,258	684,652	221,606
Kentish	923,914	468,924	454,990	950,319	494,411	455,908	947,376	493,347	454,029
Kingborough	832,844	554,213	278,631	806,452	538,735	267,717	815,200	543,843	271,357
King Island	582,200	229,328	352,872	598,423	235,663	362,760	589,159	234,065	355,094
Latrobe	890,848	465,687	425,161	891,232	466,905	424,327	891,597	465,455	426,142
Launceston	5,513,501	3,459,609	2,053,892	5,842,773	3,668,345	2,174,428	5,972,786	3,780,764	2,192,022
Leven	1,320,418	671,764	648,654	1,313,925	671,645	642,280	1,315,332	677,562	637,770
Lilydale	565,116	256,362	308,754	507,020	236,638	270,382	508,653	238,966	269,687
Longford	1,205,597	438,515	767,082	1,198,056	437,509	760,547	1,226,875	449,611	777,264
New Norfolk	843,757	604,846	238,911	842,391	603,256	239,135	853,257	612,486	240,771
New Town	1,639,165	1,083,335	555,830	1,696,733	1,132,235	564,498	1,720,104	1,151,437	568,667
Oatlands	1,118,218	450,522	667,696	1,130,080	458,618	671,462	1,153,693	469,818	683,875
Penguin	715,269	346,089	369,180	720,274	348,210	372,064	727,212	354,666	372,546
Port Cygnet	585,492	423,254	162,238	586,482	426,724	159,758	587,574	428,439	159,135
Portland	143,750	86,403	57,347	144,336	85,504	58,832	146,047	86,154	59,893
Queenborough	1,623,076	1,007,224	615,852	1,656,843	1,052,233	604,610	1,727,713	1,115,079	612,634
Queenstown	104,992	88,389	16,603	102,082	85,740	16,342	102,025	85,735	16,290
Richmond	490,628	250,568	240,060	484,375	246,147	238,228	487,316	245,383	241,933
Ringarooma	657,393	342,417	314,976	662,871	346,263	316,608	661,384	345,324	316,060
Ross	408,917	113,577	295,340	415,589	116,390	299,199	419,856	117,067	302,789
Scottsdale	539,561	283,564	255,997	537,967	285,079	252,888	535,516	284,229	251,287
Sorell	503,157	254,663	248,494	516,936	260,519	256,417	517,236	261,194	256,042
Spring Bay	235,658	115,693	119,965	235,161	117,005	118,156	237,235	117,372	119,863
St. Leonards	1,023,244	490,554	532,690	856,976	386,436	470,540	884,513	411,660	472,853
Strahan	24,741	18,496	6,245	24,981	18,688	6,293	24,671	18,498	6,173
Table Cape	1,319,097	627,328	691,769	1,326,420	633,807	692,613	1,327,346	637,819	689,527
Tasman	134,748	91,736	43,012	137,143	92,916	44,227	138,900	94,951	43,949
Waratah	156,649	81,797	74,852	156,398	80,682	75,716	156,188	80,278	75,910
Westbury	1,044,647	435,874	608,773	1,049,109	439,372	609,737	1,054,714	445,650	609,064
Zeehan	147,327	117,692	29,635	148,163	117,377	30,786	145,611	115,150	30,461
Totals	49,300,516	26,566,563	22,733,953	49,695,629	26,912,981	22,782,648	50,107,953	27,240,763	22,867,190

TOTALS in respect of the Years 1921, 1922, 1923, *and* 1924.

Year.	Capital Value.	Value of Improvements.	Unimproved Value.
	£	£	£
1921	41,549,299	21,110,916	20,438,383
1922	43,157,634	22,282,836	20,874,798
1923	45,459,563	23,902,515	21,557,048
1924	47,702,812	25,455,849	22,246,963

GRADUATED Land Tax on Unimproved Values—Year 1927.

Unimproved Value Class.	Taxpayers (Owners).		Taxable Amount under Graduated Rates.								Per cent.	Average per Taxpayer.	Tax by Composite Rates.		
			£2500 & under.	Over £2500 to £5000.	Over £5000 to £15,000.	Over £15,000 to £30,000.	Over £30,000 to £50,000.	Over £50,000 to £80,000.	Over £80,000.	Total Amount.			Total Tax.	Per Taxpayer (Average).	Per £1 of Taxable Amount (Average).
	No.	Per cent.	Rate per £1. ¾d.	Rate per £1. 1⅜d.	Rate per £1. 1¾d.	Rate per £1. 2¼d.	Rate per £1. 2¾d.	Rate per £1. 3¼d.	Rate per £1. 3¾d.						
	No.	%	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	%	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	d.
£2500 and under	38,141	96·06	12,709,550	—	—	—	—	—	—	12,709,550	55·76	333·2	39,717 6 11	1 0 10	0·75
Over £2500 to £5000	942	2·37	2,355,000	878,388	—	—	—	—	—	3,233,388	14·18	3433	12,391 16 1	13 3 2	0·919
„ £5000 „ £15,000	535	1·34	1,337,500	1,337,500	1,620,815	—	—	—	—	4,295,815	18·85	8030	23,660 13 8	44 4 7	1·322
„ £15,000 „ £30,000	71	·18	177,500	177,500	710,000	425,303	—	—	—	1,490,303	6·54	20,994	10,736 6 7	151 4 7	1·730
„ £30,000 „ £50,000	13	·03	32,500	32,500	130,000	195,000	122,452	—	—	512,452	2·25	39,419	4466 13 9	343 11 10	2·093
„ £50,000 „ £80,000	3	·01	7500	7500	30,000	45,000	60,000	36,936	—	186,936	0·82	62,312	1894 14 1	631 11 4	2·434
£80,000 and over	3	·01	7500	7500	30,000	45,000	60,000	90,000	125,372	365,372	1·60	121,791	4572 4 5	1524 1 6	3·002
Total over £2500	1567	3·94	3,917,500	2,440,888	2,520,815	710,303	242,452	126,936	125,372	10,084,266	44·24	6435	57,722 8 7	36 16 9	1·374
Grand Total Unimproved Value	39,708	100·00	16,627,050	2,440,888	2,520,815	710,303	242,452	126,936	125,372	22,793,816	100·00	574	97,439 15 6	2 9 1	1·026
Ditto per cent. to Total	—	—	72·94	10·71	11·06	3·12	1·06	0·56	0·55	100·00	—	—	—	—	—
Proportion of Tax levied under each specific rate	—	—	£ s. d. 51,959 10 7	£ s. d. 13,984 5 1	£ s. d. 18,380 18 10	£ s. d. 6659 1 10	£ s. d. 2778 1 11	£ s. d. 1718 18 6	£ s. d. 1958 18 9	—	—	—	—	—	—

NOTE.—A person with, say, £14,000 Taxable Property pays at rate of ¾d. on £2500, 1⅜d. on £2500, and 1¾d. on balance (£9000).

INCOME TAX CALENDAR YEAR 1927.—INDIVIDUAL DIVISION.

(Based on Incomes earned in 1926-27—Commissioner of Taxes Report, 1927-28.)

INDIVIDUALS.—Table showing Distribution of Taxpayers, Gross Income, Abatements, Taxable Income, and Tax under Business and Property respectively, and also against the various Classes of Income.

Group	Number of Taxpayers.				Per Cent.	Gross Income.*		Abatement.	Taxable Income. †				Tax Assessed. ‡				Rate of Tax per £.	
	Business.	Property.	Composite.	Total.		Amount.	Per Cent.	Amount.	Business.	Property.	Composite.	Total.	Business.	Property.	Composite.	Total.	Gross Incomes.	Taxable Incomes.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	%	£	%	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	d.	d.
Under £200	11,249	843	1750	13,842	60·700	2,807,878	39·166	1,125,190	1,360,610	99,387	222,691	1,682,688	25,584	2144	4529	32,257	2·76	4·60
Under £250	1911	182	505	2598	11·393	716,732	9·997	137,087	422,305	41,024	116,316	579,645	8498	961	2480	11,939	4·00	4·92
£ 250 and under £ 300	1026	122	416	1564	6·859	524,651	7·318	69,830	307,517	33,039	114,265	454,821	5893	797	2678	9368	4·29	
£ 300 „ £ 400	953	175	507	1635	7·170	612,653	8·545	52,675	321,044	61,080	177,854	559,978	7328	1773	4197	13,298	5·21	5·70
£ 400 „ £ 500	468	114	362	944	4·140	433,543	6·047	10,189	207,719	51,898	163,737	423,354	5344	1667	4339	11,350	6·29	6·43
£ 500 „ £ 600	297	86	301	684	3·000	371,138	5·177	...	161,533	46,433	163,172	371,138	4417	1561	4530	10,508	6·80	
£ 600 „ £ 800	277	80	281	638	2·799	423,197	5·903	...	175,387	54,461	193,349	423,197	5304	2096	6281	13,681	7·76	
£ 800 „ £1000	92	31	167	290	1·272	254,657	3·552	...	79,382	27,313	147,962	254,657	2621	1728	5744	10,093	9·51	
£1000 „ £1200	56	24	113	193	·847	209,802	2·927	...	61,098	26,597	122,107	209,802	2299	1513	5263	9075	10·38	
£1200 „ £1500	49	25	104	178	·781	236,406	3·297	...	65,394	33,187	137,825	236,406	2852	2426	7741	13,019	13·22	
£1500 „ £2000	28	16	90	134	·586	232,983	3·250	...	47,188	27,346	158,449	232,983	2355	2109	9877	14,341	14·77	
£2000 „ £3000	10	9	40	59	·258	139,699	1·949	...	22,755	22,432	94,512	139,699	1384	2109	6568	10,061	17·28	
£3000 „ £4000	4	4	14	22	·095	78,140	1·090	...	14,457	13,675	50,008	78,140	1089	1378	4137	6604		
£4000 „ £6000	1	3	12	16	·070	76,961	1·073	...	10,998	14,297	57,673	76,961	391	1132	4991	6514	19·98	
£6000 „ £10,000	2	...	4	6	·026	39,405	·550	...	7154	...	26,244	39,405	1089	...	1907	2996		
£10,000 „ £20,000	...	...	1	1	·004	11,322	·158	...	...	...	11,322	11,322	...	...	1018	1018		
Totals	16,423	1714	4667	22,804	100%	7,169,167	100%	1,394,971	3,264,541	552,169	1,957,486	5,774,196	76,448	23,394	76,280	176,122	5·90	7·32

* Excluding Deductions for Children.
† Incomes from Dividends of Local Companies are not taxed in the hands of shareholders, hence "Taxable Income" here means the portion of Income upon which the Tax was directly demanded.
‡ Tax on Dividends on Local Companies is not included.

INCOME TAX—Companies Return.

Mining Companies.					Foreign Companies (other than Mining).					Local Companies (other than Mining).					Total.	
Dividends.			Profits		Dividends.			Profits.		Dividends.			Profits.		Companies.	Amount of Tax.
No.	Taxable Amount	Tax.	Taxable Amount.	Tax.	No.	Taxable Amount.	Tax.	Taxable Amount.	Tax.	No.	Taxable Amount.	Tax.	Taxable Amount.	Tax.	No.	—
	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.		£	£	£	£ s. d.		£	£ s. d.	£	£		£
16	34,780	2935 12 0	60,705	4552 17 6	198	...	...	537,032	40,413 10 9	280	581,883	50,636 15 1	350,104	25,784 6 1	494	124,323
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*1	1,372,500	291,656 5 0	...	...	1	291,656
16	34,780	2935 12 0	60,705	4552 17 6	198	...	...	537,032	40,413 10 9	281	1,954,383	342,293 0 1	350,104	25,784 6 1	495	415,979

* Lottery Prizes.

SUMMARY.

SHOWING Capital Value, Unimproved Value, Value of Improvements, and Amount of Land Tax.

Year.	Capital Value.*	Unimproved Value.	Value of Improvements.	Land Tax on Unimproved Values.				
				Number of Taxpayers—		Amount—		
				The Total Value of Whose Holdings—		From Owners, the Total Value of Whose Holdings—		Total.
				Did not exceed £2500.	Exceeded £2500.	Did not exceed £2500.	Exceeded £2500.	
	£	£	£	No.	No.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1911...	30,924,993	16,488,875	14,436,118	51,820	1095	33,279 19 3	49,130 3 10	82,410 3 1
1912...	31,146,771	16,358,248	14,788,523	...	1101	33,807 8 9	46,571 1 5	80,378 10 2
1913...	31,906,239	16,711,650	15,194,589	...	1134	34,634 15 1	47,408 0 5	82,042 15 6
1914...	32,508,360	16,847,083	15,661,277	...	1141	35,009 5 4	46,638 1 4	81,647 6 8
1915...	33,098,772	16,938,822	16,159,950	29,399	1166	36,070 13 1	45,525 1 0	81,595 14 1
1916...	34,825,058	17,573,694	17,251,364	29,998	1202	38,079 7 9	45,636 17 9	83,716 5 6
1917...	35,447,336	17,868,274	17,579,062	30,678	1214	39,844 17 8	45,218 1 3	85,062 18 11
1918..	36,232,654	18,363,948	17,868,706	31,354	1244	40,943 3 6	46,468 11 4	87,411 14 10
1919...	37,121,328	18,650,310	18,471,018	31,993	1274	42,371 17 7	45,612 2 3	87,983 19 10
1920...	38,736,226	19,334,867	19,401,359	32,532	1329	43,814 4 0	47,857 0 5	91,671 4 5
1921...	41,549,299	20,438,383	21,110,916	33,613	1399	45,943 11 7	50,052 15 7	95,996 7 2
1922...	43,157,634	20,874,798	22,282,836	35,036	1425	47,510 7 6	51,026 3 2	98,536 10 8
1923...	45,459,563	21,557,048	23,902,515	36,567	1474	49,331 1 6	72,578 5 9	121,909 7 3
1924...	47,702,812	22,246,963	25,455,849	37,285	1524	51,390 4 6	74,058 15 4	125,448 19 10
1925...	49,300,516	22,733,953	26,566,563	37,763	1541	52,752 4 4	74,892 2 5	127,644 6 9
1926...	49,695,629	22,782,648	26,912,981	38,104	1543	53,062 6 3	61,456 7 11	114,518 14 2
1927...	50,107,953	22,867,190	27,240,763	38,141	1567	39,717 6 11	57,722 8 7	97,439 15 6

* Includes properties that are not taxed, such as churches, &c.

SUMMARY.

SHOWING Income Tax—Individual Division, and Companies.

Year of Assessment.	Taxpayers.				Taxable Incomes.				Estimated Tax.					Companies.	
	Business.	Property.	Business and Property combined.	Total.	Business.	Property.	Business and Property combined.	Total.	Business.	Property.	Business and Property combined.	Super Tax.	Total.	—	Amount of Tax.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	No.	£
1910 ...	...	1078	19,219	20,297	...	414,422	2,277,266	2,691,688	...	20,722	51,762	...	72,484	...	71,286
1910–11	13,071	964	2747	16,705	1,816,132	224,102	898,864	2,939,098	34,068	8640	24,612	...	67,320	200	78,837
1911–12	13,380	1061	2808	17,249	2,039,155	259,981	925,510	3,224,646	38,354	10,037	24,713	...	73,104	215	82,157
1912–13	14,114	1072	2861	18,047	1,975,816	271,443	896,605	3,143,865	36,872	10,584	24,572	...	72,028	232	83,826
1913–14	14,592	1144	2943	18,679	2,059,469	288,336	948,606	3,296,411	38,661	11,254	26,378	...	76,293	250	85,397
1914–15	14,002	1138	3532	18,672	2,096,049	286,379	1,098,485	3,480,913	37,528	10,648	29,069	...	77,245	263	102,530
1915–16	15,076	1151	3730	19,957	2,374,386	281,456	1,225,802	3,881,644	44,539	10,730	34,055	...	89,324	264	123,522
1916–17	16,573	1251	4089	21,913	2,595,544	289,679	1,371,400	4,256,623	48,103	10,923	38,862	7781	105,669	262	149,966
1917–18	18,946	1311	4499	24,756	3,003,191	292,779	1,528,312	4,824,282	55,258	11,004	43,900	8868	119,030	289	152,954
1918–19	16,101	1164	4186	21,451	3,177,988	300,998	1,573,764	5,052,750	59,163	11,885	43,392	9882	124,322	322	170,747
1919–20	20,137	1159	4877	26,173	4,316,991	321,769	2,131,324	6,770,084	86,178	12,902	62,174	14,604	175,858	345	190,003
1920–21	24,888	1262	5242	31,392	5,282,037	351,793	2,004,083	7,636,913	101,195	13,933	54,622	15,904	185,654	376	164,968
1922–23	23,816	1304	5715	30,835	5,150,685	377,629	2,245,053	7,773,367	98,729	15,235	61,710	16,832	192,506	392	180,092
1923–24	21,832	1827	5407	29,066	4,170,349	514,491	2,475,793	7,160,633	132,126	29,576	134891	...	296,593	414	229,867
1924–25	22,387	1789	5699	29,875	4,370,441	536,520	2,663,479	7,570,440	137,727	28,004	150337	...	316,068	465	369,971*
1925–26	22,205	1922	5337	29,464	4,337,627	558,859	2,467,467	7,363,953	133,703	28,831	140959	...	303,493	466	362,922*
1926–27	16,423	1714	4667	22,804	3,264,541	552,169	1,957,486	5,774,196	76,448	23,394	76,280	...	176,122	495	415,979

NOTE.—Income Tax is collectable for the calendar year, and since 1911 is based on the income for financial year (called in this table assessment year) ending six months before commencement of that calendar year. The analysis given in the Commissioner's Report refers to the tax for the calendar year preceding the one in which the report is issued, and which, consequently, is based on income for financial year 24 months before date of report.

* Including on Lottery Prizes.

COMMONWEALTH TAXATION.

TAXES collected in Tasmania by Federal Government.

TAX.	1927-28	1926-27.	1925-26.	1924-25.	1923-24.	1922-23.	1921-22.	1920-21.	1919-20.	1918-19.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Direct—										
Income Tax (*a*)	114,165	104,985	185,024	277,226	274,510	292,641	463,421	350,382	318,051	234,066
Land Tax (*a*)	37,273	41,136	44,685	42,829	39,166	37,287	40,859	41,462	44,607	41,918
Succession Duties	43,999	22,144	29,243	16,820	25,978	17,384	35,173	16,142	36,720	21,502
War Time Profits Tax	— 3593	—6955	— 747	4621	1341	4501	28,172	15,692	43,083	38,398
Entertainment	4167	3522	7382	15,214	16,066	15,589	17,193	16,266	10,993	8680
Total Direct Taxation	196,011	164,83	265,587	356,710	357,061	367,402	584,818	439,944	453,454	344,564
Indirect—										
Customs and Excise (*b*)	400,638	399,437	365,527	404,958	455,473	399,160	360,037	456,230	226,020	153,913
Customs and Excise (*c*)	1,177,000	1,227,000	1,164,000	1,130,900	1,117,200	1,047,200	895,800	1,038,500	707,600	576,600

(*a*) Collections at the Central Office (which for the whole of the Commonwealth amount to approximately one-third of the total) are not included.

(*b*) Actual collections in Tasmania. The amount of duty collected in the other States of the Commonwealth on goods transhipped to Tasmania is not included.

(*c*) Figures based on the assumption that the Customs and Excise Revenue per head in Tasmania, from 1913 onwards, bore the same proportion to the Customs and Excise Revenue per head for the Commonwealth that it did on the average for the nine years 1901 to 1909, for which years only full information is available. (The average per head, 1901 to 1909, in Tasmania was approximately 82% of the average per head for the Commonwealth.)

LOANS—ANNUAL EXPENDITURE

Year.	Amount.			Year.	Amount.	Amount per Head.
			£		£	£ s. d.
1881-1890	Average per year		447,029	1919-1920	1,375,960	6 11 1
1891-1 00	,,	,,	205,547	1920-1921	2,717,452	12 15 5
1901-1905	,,	,,	197,772	1921-1922	2,027,364	9 5 9
1906-1910	,,	,,	257,635	1922-1923	1,156,355	5 5 8
1911-1914	,,	,,	416,669	1923-1924	712,214	3 5 0
1914-1919	,,	,,	687,524	1924-1925	242,485	1 2 3
				1925-1926	540,152	2 9 9
				1926-1927	329,698	1 10 8
				1927-1928	377,777	1 15 0

CARBIDE AND ELECTRO PRODUCTS.

Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s	d.
Loans (12 and 16 Geo. V.)	101,746	10	8	Cash—Sale of Plant and Works	111,378	18	4
Deficits on Working Expenses—Aggregate	68,198	18	1	Shares in New Company, Plant and Works	30,450	0	0
Advances to Heads of Departments	2020	0	0	Land (Balance)	3851	0	0
				Sundry Debtors	113	4	3
				Balance (Aggregate Loss)	26,172	6	2
Total	£171,965	8	9		£171,965	8	9

NOTE.—The shares purchase was a condition of sale, therefore the Aggregate Loss will be influenced by the amount ultimately realised for these shares.

CLOSER SETTLEMENT AND SOLDIERS' SETTLEMENT—YEAR ENDING 30TH JUNE, 1928.

RECEIPTS.			EXPENDITURE.		
Items.	Closer Settlement.	Soldiers' Settlement.	Items.	Closer Settlement.	Soldiers' Settlement.
	£	£		£	£
Interest	4916	41,646	Administration	98	1486
Rent	16,032	67,578	Salaries	484	10,128
Capital Profits	...	...	Office Expenses, &c.	44	362
Bad Debts recovered	4	28	Travelling Expenses	...	...
Other	2	63	Interest on Loans	26,139	139,333
			,, Purchase Money...	73	186
			Bad Debts	236	19,252
			Depreciation—Stock & Property	2	104
			Insurance, Repairs	295	3241
			Special Remissions	...	8446
			Other	70	1986
			Revaluation	...	18,732
Balance (Dr.)	6487	93,941	Balance (Cr.)	...	...
Totals for Year	27,441	203,256	Totals for Year	27,441	203,256
Aggregate Balances (Dr.)	55,156	1,154,387	* ... (Cr.)	...	...

* Of this amount the Federal Government has "written off" £262,000 and paid into State Treasury rebated interest £285,685 (£2372 in current year); but no interest has been added for net deficiencies from year to year. † Includes interest on daily balances (unexpended Loan—interest).

HOMES ACT (AGRICULTURAL BANK) AND STATE ADVANCES, 1927-28.

RECEIPTS.			EXPENDITURE.		
Items.	Homes Act.	State Advances.	Items.	Homes Act.	State Advances.
	£	£		£	£
Interest	17,852	11,835	Salaries	1173	1168
Rent	290	102	Office Expenses, Printing, &c.	144	...
Other	89	...	Interest on L.I.S., &c.	14,254	8440
			Depreciation	70	...
			Other	1259	313
			To Reserves	1331	2016
Balance (Dr.)	...	...	Balance (Cr.)	...	...
Totals for Year	18,231	11,937	Totals for Year	18,231	11,937
Aggregate Balances (Dr.)	...	...	...		
			Amount to Credit of Reserves	9338	13,316

LOTTERIES.

SUMMARY of Taxation Payments.

Year	State Government.		Federal Government.	Total.
	* Stamp Duty.	*Income Tax. (Tax on Prizes).	Income (Company) Tax.	
	£	£	£	£
Ending 30th June, 1921	81,758	82,350	116,154	280,262
,, 1922	77,747	92,003	116,235	285,985
,, 1923	108,500	93,375	110,919	312,794
,, 1924	110,000	99,000	111,375	320,375
,, 1925	117,500	211,281	nil	328,781
,, 1926	115,000	224,719	nil	339,719
,, 1927	157,500	296,437	nil	453,937
,, 1928	154,000	294,525	nil	448,525

* Included under respective headings in State Taxation. Excluding Profit Tax paid by Lottery Promoters as a Company (*i.e.*, on savings out of percentage allowance for management).

PUBLIC FINANCE.—APPENDIX.

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GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS, AUSTRALASIA, 1927–28.

Absolute.

State.	Average Miles Open.	Cost of Construction and Equipment (open lines).	Gross Receipts.	Working Expenses.	Net.		(Estimated) Interest burden on Capital Expended on Construction and Equipment.	Net Loss or Gain to State Revenue.	
					Profit on Working.	Loss on Working.		(A.) Loss.	(A.) Gain.
	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	5826	117,984,374	19,029,512	14,756,327	4,273,185	...	5,882,452	1,609,267	...
Victoria	4661	72,799,079	12,821,059	10,025,829	2,795,230	...	3,321,519	526,289	...
Queensland	6340	58,998,267	7,381,532	6,106,140	1,275,392	...	2,827,223	1,551,831	...
South Australia	2527	26,582,516	3,999,583	*3,727,759	271,824	...	1,271,687	999,863	...
West Australia	3971	22,130,077	3,858,051	2,910,811	947,240	...	920,569	...	26,671
Tasmania	658	6,483,280	554,743	573,885	...	19,642	284,076	303,718	...
Commonwealth	1733	12,438,895	599,849	537,452	62,397	...	(a) 654,100	591,703	...
Six States & Commonwealth	25,716	317,416,488	48,244,329	38,638,203	9,605,626	...	15,161,626	5,556,000	...
New Zealand	3178	51,187,376	8,524,538	6,685,123	1,839,415	...	2,130,867	291,452	...
Total	28,894	368,603,864	56,768,867	45,323,326	11,445,041	...	17,292,493	5,847,452	...

(a) Based on average of Public Debt; only the Interest on unredeemed Loans (£274,861) was actually paid.
* Including £111,752 accumulated and deferred charges.

Relative.

	Cost per Mile.	Percentage in relation to Capital Expended on Construction and Equipment.						
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	20,251	16·13	12·51	3·62	...	4·99	1·36	...
Victoria	15,619	17·61	13·77	3·84	...	4·56	0·72	...
Queensland	9,306	12·51	10·35	2·16	...	4·79	2·63	...
South Australia	10,519	15·05	14·02	1·02	...	4·78	3·76	...
West Australia	5,573	17·43	13·15	4·28	...	4·16	...	0·12
Tasmania	9,853	8·56	8·85	...	0·30	4·38	4·68	...
Commonwealth	7,178	4·82	4·32	0·50	...	5·26	4·76	...
Six States and Commonwealth	12,343	15·20	12·17	3·03	...	4·78	1·75	...
New Zealand	16,107	16·65	13·06	3·59	...	4·16	0·57	...
Total	12,757	15·40	12·30	3·11	...	4·69	1·59	...

	Train Miles Run.	Passengers Carried.	Goods and Livestock Carried.	Revenue.		Working Expenses.	
				Per Train Mile.	Per Mile Worked.	Per Train Mile.	Per Mile Worked.
	miles.	No.	tons.	s. d.	£	s. d.	£
New South Wales	26,896,580	148,046,881	15,433,083	14 1·8	3266	10 11·7	2533
Victoria	17,694,928	164,574,870	8,117,961	14 5·9	4723	11 4·0	3693
Queensland	11,655,122	24,800,934	4,670,447	12 8·0	1164	10 5·7	963
South Australia	6,503,474	20,880,751	3,418,092	12 3·6	1583	11 5·6	1475
West Australia	5,900,883	16,032,536	3,697,648	13 0·9	972	9 10·4	733
Tasmania	1,429,416	2,322,410	715,387	7 9·1	843	8 0·4	872
Commonwealth	965,682	155,776	206,362	12 5·1	346	11 1·6	310
Six States and Commonwealth	71,046,085	376,814,158	36,258,980	13 7·0	1876	10 10·5	1502
New Zealand	10,838,594	25,379,665	7,358,397	15 11·2	2682	12 4·0	2104
Total	81,884,679	402,193,823	43,617,377	13 10·4	1965	11 0·9	1569

LOANS EXPENDITURE

Current Year, 1927-28.

	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	West Australia.	Tasmania.	Six States.*
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Railways and Tramways	8,335,802	1,651,884	1,646,982	2,385,581	882,142	37,196	14,939,587
Water Supply and Sewerage	1,195,773	1,529,759	125,580	875,575	581,797	...	4,308,484
Electric Power Supply	293,558	1,433,747	...	...	69,304	50,051	1,846,660
Harbours, Rivers, and Lighthouses	556,011	17,057	105,956	519,808	251,645	230,527	5,665,703
Roads and Bridges	2,558,070	917,540	...	144,866	364,223		
Defence	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Public Buildings	897,300	447,927	184,080	191,510	126,512	49,430	1,896,759
Immigration	5940	...	...	...	10,072	...	16,012
Mining Development	...	...	...	...	81,914	...	81,914
Advances to Settlers	...	97,255	39,150	233,920	67,092	—32,525	404,892
Loans to Public Bodies	...	...	446,202	208,054	10,379	31,048	695,683
Rabbit-proof Fencing	33,148	32,635	—14,394	25,664	...	...	77,053
Soldier Settlement	...	941,524	—53,744	163,668	170,484	—9176	1,212,756
Development of Agriculture	...	...	—3719	— 29,106	1,264,809	...	1,231,984
Agricultural Bank	...	...	6,075,965	540,001	221,171	...	6,837,137
Closer Settlement	...	1,153,498	...	..	...	—26,372	1,127,126
Other Works and purposes	17,089	896,615	745,827	1,423,493	578,715	47,598	3,709,337
Water Conservation and Irrigation	514,928	...	...	79,066	...	...	593,994
Total	14,407,619	9,119,441	9,297,885	6,762,100	4,680,259	377,777	44,645,081
Aggregate up to and including Year 1927-28.							
Railways and Tramways	135,898,930	71,107,724	58,992,160	31,113,837	22,665,489	6,959,602	326,737,742
Telephones and Telegraphs	1,762,095	...	996,587	...	332,293	142,410	3,233,385
Water Supply and Sewerage	34,202,491	23,724,793	2,064,928	14,007,599	8,399,051	...	82,398,862
Electric Power Supply	818,374	12,804,244	...	...	1,078,362	3,593,725	18,294,705
Harbours, Rivers, and Lighthouses	21,031,026	1,280,115	3,287,033	7,250,587	5,125,795	6,359,824	68,133,858
Roads and Bridges	8,603,805	9,864,032	832,839	3,223,016	1,275,786		
Defence	1,457,536	149,323	363,085	...	...	128,224	2,098,168
Public Buildings	9,821,615	5,216,772	3,587,196	2,615,377	1,418,844	1,650,076	24,309,880
Immigration	754,441	20,000	2,763,071	...	482,930	235,000	4,255,442
Mining Development	...	520,421	...	...	2,290,010	...	2,810,431
Advances to Settlers	...	923,690	765,178	6,974,778	2,993,754	486,558	12,143,958
Loans to Public Bodies	...	1,129,414	9,675,258	3,071,801	79,529	1,520,555	15,476,557
Rabbit-proof Fencing	356,081	540,459	384,659	249,159	328,703	...	1,859,061
Soldier Settlement	...	25,463,878	1,930,678	8,383,271	7,751,706	2,290,752	45,820,285
Development of Agriculture	...	...	65,170	1,755,221	9,352,671	...	11,173,062
Agricultural Bank	...	...	6,075,965	1,445,001	3,030,000	...	10,550,966
Other Works and purposes	9,978,502	7,333,794	13,372,808	5,117,116	3,162,109	1,419,643	40,383,972
Closer Settlement	7,391,767	9,240,712	...	...	...	390,575	17,023,054
Water Conservation	12,358,598	...	...	5,606,403	...	...	17,965,001
Total	244,435,281	169,319,371	105,156,615	90,813,166	69,767,032	25,176,944	704,668,389

(*a*) Included in "Advances to Settlers."

Percentage of Aggregate Loan Expenditure up to 30th June, 1928, under the various headings.

Railways and Tramways	55·60	41·99	56·10	34·27	32·49	27·64	46·38
Telephones and Telegraphs	0·72	...	0·95	...	0·48	0·57	0·46
Water Supply and Sewerage	13·99	14·01	1·96	15·43	12·04	...	11·69
Electric Power Supply	0·33	7·56	...	...	1·55	14·27	2·60
Harbours, Rivers, and Lighthouses	8·61	0·76	3·13	7·99	7·35	25·26	9·67
Roads and Bridges	3·52	5·83	0·79	3·55	1·83		
Defence	0·60	0·09	0·35	...	...	0·51	0·30
Public Buildings	4·02	3·08	3·41	2·88	2·03	6·56	3·45
Immigration	0·31	0·01	2·63	...	0·69	0·93	0·60
Mining Development	...	0·31	...	...	3·28	...	0·40
Advances to Settlers	...	0·55	0·73	7·68	4·29	1·93	1·72
Loans to Public Bodies	...	0·67	9·20	3·38	0·11	6·04	2·20
Rabbit-proof Fencing	0·15	0·32	0·37	0·27	0·47	...	0·26
Soldier Settlement	...	15·04	1·84	9·23	11·11	9·07	6·50
Development of Agriculture	...	...	0·06	1·93	13·41	...	1·59
Agricultural Bank	...	...	5·78	1·59	4·34	...	1·50
Other Works and purposes	4·07	4·32	12·70	5·63	4·53	5·65	5·73
Closer Settlement	3·02	5·46	...	6·17	...	1·57	2·40
Water Conservation	5·06	...	...	...	...	...	2·55
Total	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00

COMMONWEALTH LOANS EXPENDITURE TO 30/6/28.

War and Repatriation (each year).

Year.	£
1914–15	14,471,117
1915–16	37,423,568
1916–17	53,114,237
1917–18	55,095,109
1918–19	62,192,889
1919–20	45,385,586
1920–21	24,148,501
1921–22	7,576,977
1922–23	1,762,694
Carried forward...	£301,170,678

Year.	£
Brought forward...	301,170,678
1923–24	2,412,015
1924–25	975,612
1925–26	324,225
1926–27	697,289
1927–28	728,842
Total out of Loans	306,308,661
Owing to U.K. Government for war supplies	35,133,390†
War Gratuities	27,499,217
Total	£368,961,268‡

Loan Expenditure.

	£
War and Repatriation	368,961,268*
Defence	3,642,799
Post and Telegraph	23,011,335
Other (except Loans to States and Canberra, Transferred Properties)	34,053,852
Total (including Loans redeemed)	£429,669,254

* In addition, £322,189,226 was expended from Revenue for war and repatriation purposes up to 30.6.28. † Present indebtedness for war supplies (as distinct from "Loans"). In 1921 the amount *funded* was £43,398,098, of which £8,264,708 has been redeemed from Revenue. ‡ Including £14,100,000 and £371,117 loans paid to revenue.

REVENUE.

COMPARATIVE MAGNITUDE of Revenue, States and Commonwealth, 1927-28.

	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	West Australia.	Tasmania.	Six States.	Commonwealth.	Total States and Commonwealth.
Population, 31.12.1927	2,400,266	1,741,390	899,176	575,771	392,292	215,862	6,227,574	6,234,853	6,234,853
Taxation—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Customs and Excise	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41,446,730	41,446,730
Other	10,725,257	7,177,999	4,978,083	3,187,021	1,296,358	1,134,528	28,499,246	15,191,128	43,690,374
Special Public Services :—									
Business Undertakings—									
Post and Telegraph	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,304,142	12,304,142
Railways and Tramways	23,894,940	12,624,544	7,373,952	4,061,514	4,154,737	559,860	52,669,547	603,162	53,272,709
Water Supply & Sewerage	294,306	574,559	...	898,177	528,712	...	2,295,754	...	2,295,754
Electric Power Supply	...	598,414	...	...	247,440	287,964	1,133,818	...	1,133,818
Harbours	1,078,293	22[illegible],388	88,392	671,866	265,307	...	2,329,246	...	2,329,246
Other	...	963,566	177,871	...	225,683	32,634	1,399,754	...	1,399,754
Other Services	1,399,083	295,150	207,265	593,449	1,602,548	95,691	4,193,186	1,532,810(*b*)	5,725,996
Total Special Public Services	26,666,622	15,281,621	7,847,480	6,225,006	7,024,427	976,149	64,021,305	14,440,114	78,461,419
Land Sales and Rentals	2,276,322	399,758	1,419,913	309,023	611,121	69,672	5,085,809	...	5,085,809
Interest on Investments	760,389	1,762,914	1,246,749	807,707	(*a*)	106,469	4,684,228	697,604	5,381,832
Revenue from Territories	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23,182	23,182
Miscellaneous	620,569	502,410	95,076	60,630	66,982	12,976	1,358,643	151,856	1,510,499
Total	3,657,280	2,665,082	2,761,738	1,177,360	678,103	189,117	11,128,680	872,642	12,001,322
Total Direct Revenue	41,049,159	25,124,702	15,587,301	10,589,387	8,998,888	2,299,794	103,649,231	71,950,614	175,599,845
Transfer payments :—									
Commonwealth to States—									
Interest on transferred properties	171,470	80,600	...	36,247	25,775	17,526	331,618	...	331,618
Financial Agreement *	2,978,343	2,152,615	1,130,769	721,269	483,286	267,367	7,733,649	...	7,733,649
Special Grant	...	...	...	...	300,000	378,000	678,000	...	678,000
States to Commonwealth—									
Interest on Loans to States	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,861,995	2,861,995
Interest on Loans for Soldier Settlement	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,802,175	1,802,175
Proportion of Pensions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55,438	55,438
Grand Total	44,198,972	27,357,917	16,718,070	11,346,903	9,807,949	2,962,687	112,392,498	76,670,222	189,062,720

* Commonwealth figures do not correspond very closely to these. (*a*) Included in other services. (*b*) Including Coinage and Note issue (£1,049,426).

Relative.

(Per Head of Population.)

	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	West Australia.	Tasmania.	Six States.	Commonwealth.	Total States and Commonwealth.
Taxation—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Customs and Excise	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 13 0	6 13 0
Other	4 9 5	4 2 6	5 10 9	5 10 9	3 6 1	5 5 1	4 11 7	2 8 8	7 0 2
Special Public Services :—									
Business Undertakings—									
Post and Telegraph	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 19 6	1 19 6
Railways and Tramways	9 19 2	7 5 0	8 4 0	7 1 2	10 11 10	2 11 11	8 9 3	0 1 11	8 10 11
Water Supply & Sewerage	0 2 5	0 6 7	...	1 11 2	1 6 11	...	0 7 3	...	0 7 3
Electric Power Supply	...	0 6 11	..	....	0 12 7	1 6 8	0 3 8	...	0 3 8
Harbours	0 9 0	0 2 7	0 2 0	1 3 4	0 13 7	...	0 7 6	...	0 7 6
Other	...	0 11 1	0 4 0	...	0 11 6	0 3 0	0 4 6	...	0 4 6
Other Services	0 11 8	0 3 5	0 4 6	1 0 8	4 1 9	0 8 11	0 13 6	0 4 11	0 18 4
Total Special Public Services	11 2 3	8 15 7	8 14 6	10 16 4	17 18 2	4 10 6	10 5 8	2 6 4	12 11 9
Land Sales and Rentals	0 19 0	0 4 7	1 11 7	0 10 9	1 11 2	0 6 6	0 16 4	...	0 16 4
Interest on Investments	0 6 4	1 0 3	1 7 9	1 8 1	(*a*)	0 9 10	0 15 0	0 2 3	0 17 3
Miscellaneous	0 5 2	0 5 8	0 2 1	0 2 1	0 3 5	0 1 2	0 4 5	0 0 6	0 4 1
Revenue from Territories	...	....	...	....	...	...	...	0 0 1	0 0 10
Total	1 10 6	1 10 6	3 1 5	2 0 11	1 14 7	0 17 6	1 15 9	0 2 10	1 18 6
Total Direct Revenue	17 2 2	14 8 7	17 6 8	18 8 0	22 18 10	10 13 1	16 13 0	11 10 10	28 3 5
Transfer Payments :—									
Commonwealth to States—									
Interest on transferred properties	0 1 5	0 0 11	...	0 1 3	0 1 4	0 1 8	0 1 1	...	0 1 1
Per Capita Grant	1 4 10	1 4 9	1 5 2	1 5 1	1 4 7	1 4 9	1 4 10	...	1 4 10
Special Grant	...	...	...	....	0 15 4	1 15 0	0 2 2	...	0 2 2
States to Commonwealth—									
Interest on Loans to States	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 9 2	0 9 2
Interest on Loans for Soldier Settlement	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 5 9	0 5 9
Proportion of Pensions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 0 2	0 0 2
Grand Total	18 8 5	15 14 3	18 11 10	19 14 4	25 0 1	13 14 6	18 1 1	12 5 11	30 6 7

(*a*) Included in other services.

EXPENDITURE.

STATES AND COMMONWEALTH.

Expenditure from Revenue, 1927–28.

	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Six States.	Common-wealth.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest	9,818,238	6,918,405	5,079,570	4,054,833	3,021,904	1,043,045	30,851,167	20,762,244	55,249,505
Redemption Sinking Fund, &c.	37,999	362,975		257,791	166,168	84,239		3,636,094	
Business undertakings—									
Post and Telegraph	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,433,126	10,433,126
Railways and Tramways	18,563,250	9,844,477	6,104,153	3,452,532	3,158,149	588,393	41,710,954	541,711	42,252,665
Electric Power Supply	...	694,883	...	...	191,467	78,352	964,702	...	964,702
Harbours	308,615	119,447	89,785	245,085	22,429	...	785,361	...	785,361
Water Supply and Sewerage	113,975	260,179	33,025	214,477	307,184	...	928,840	...	928,840
Other Business undertakings	...	102,438	161,076	185,161	180,793	45,579	675,047	...	675,047
Education	4,358,925	2,817,883	1,568,427	960,514	697,686	316,807	10,720,242	...	10,720,242
Humane Provision—									
Maternity Allowances	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	678,920	678,920
Invalid and Old-age Pensions*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,368,853	8,368,853
Hospitals and Charities	2,384,387	1,374,234	845,279	528,421	409,164	193,043	5,734,528	...	5,734,528
Justice	633,209	296,804	182,064	78,511	94,242	25,163	1,309,933	57,979	1,367,912
Police	1,364,609	894,121	571,706	275,372	220,511	91,645	3,417,964	...	3,417,964
Defence	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,696,690	4,696,690
War Services †	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,390,191	7,390,191
All other charges, including Public Works, N.E.I.	7,710,761	3,829,424	2,072,479	1,369,137	1,364,718	401,399	16,747,918	(a)19,713,157	36,461,075
Transferred to Trust Funds	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,020,000	3,020,000
Total	45,293,968	27,521,270	16,707,564	11,621,834	9,834,415	2,867,605	113,846,656	79,298,965	193,145,621

* In addition £1,421,493 was spent from Trust funds. (*a*) Includes Territories Expenditure, £532,386. † Also £1,400,000 from Trust Funds.

	£		Per Head. £ s. d.
Note.—Included in above are the following payments, viz:—			
Commonwealth to States—Contrib. towards Interest and S' Funds	8,149,232	...	1 6 2
Interest on transferred properties	255,954	...	0 0 10
Special Grants to Tas. and W. Aus.	678,000	...	0 2 2
Main Roads Development	2,000,000	...	0 6 5
	11,083,186	...	1 15 7
States to Commonwealth—Interest on Loans to States (adjusted)	2,861,995	...	0 9 2
Interest on Loans for Soldier Settlement	1,802,175	...	0 5 10
Proportion of Pensions	55,438	...	0 0 2
	£4,719,608	...	0 15 2

RELATIVE.

(Per Head of Population.)

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Interest	4 1 10	3 19 5	5 13 0	7 0 10	7 14 1	4 16 8	4 19 1	3 6 7	8 17 3
Redemption Sinking Fund, &c.	0 0 4	0 4 3		0 9 0	0 8 6	0 7 9		0 11 8	
Business undertakings—									
Post and Telegraph	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 13 6	1 13 6
Railways and Tramways	7 14 8	5 13 0	6 15 9	5 19 11	8 1 0	2 14 6	6 14 1	0 1 9	6 15 7
Electric Power Supply	...	0 8 0	...	...	0 9 9	0 7 3	0 3 1	...	0 3 1
Harbours	0 2 7	0 1 5	0 2 0	0 8 6	0 1 2	...	0 2 6	...	0 2 6
Water Supply and Sewerage	0 0 11	0 3 0	0 0 9	0 7 4	0 15 8	...	0 3 0	...	0 3 0
Other Business undertakings	...	0 1 2	0 3 7	0 6 5	0 9 3	0 4 3	0 2 2	...	0 2 2
Education	1 16 4	1 12 4	1 14 11	1 13 5	1 15 7	1 9 4	1 14 5	...	1 14 5
Humane Provision—									
Maternity Allowances	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 2 2	0 2 2
Invalid and Old-age Pensions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 6 10	1 6 10
Hospitals and Charities	0 19 10	0 15 10	0 18 10	0 18 4	1 0 10	0 17 11	0 18 5	...	0 18 5
Justice	0 5 3	0 3 5	0 4 0	0 2 9	0 4 9	0 2 4	0 4 2	0 0 2	0 4 4
Police	0 11 5	0 10 3	0 12 9	0 9 7	0 11 3	0 8 6	0 11 0	...	0 11 0
Defence	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 15 1	0 15 1
War Services	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 3 9	1 3 9
All other charges, including Public Works, N.E.I	3 4 3	2 4 0	2 6 1	2 7 7	3 9 7	1 17 2	2 13 10	3 3 3	5 17 1
Transferred to Pensions Fund	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 9 8	0 9 8
Total	18 17 5	15 16 1	18 11 7	20 3 8	25 1 5	13 5 8	18 5 9	12 14 5	30 19 10

NOTE.—Interest (£17,238,035) and Sinking Fund (£2,980,589) payable on War Debt are included under Interest and Sinking Fund respectively—not under War Services.

TAXATION.—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

FINANCE, YEAR 1927-28.

ABSOLUTE.

Particulars.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S.A.	W.A.	Tasmania.	Six States. (a)	Commonwealth.	Six States and Commonwealth. (b)
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Customs and Excise	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	41,446,730	41,446,730
Probate and Succession Duties	1,596,804	1,117,164	556,456	327,940	81,452	99,640	3,779,456	1,752,118	5,531,574
Other Stamp Duties, excluding Lotteries	1,676,176	1,004,079	558,970	445,517	270,756	62,267	4,017,765	..	4,017,765
Land Tax	2744	560,013	531,940	458,222	162,906	97,494	1,813,319	3,027,206	4,840,525
Income and Dividend Tax	6,382,467	3,035,014	3,042,552	1,803,829	648,537	280,377	15,192,776	10,165,174	25,357,950
Totalisator and Betting, including Lotteries	451,710	135,265	138,397	81,634	58,770	463,009	1,328,785	..	1,328,785
Motor Tax	*	922,437	*	*	*	49,295	971,732	..	971,732
Other Taxation	564,840	367,331	98,395	50,514	66,678	38,793	1,186,551	† 246,630	1,433,181
Licences	50,516	36,696	51,373	19,365	7259	43,653	208,862	..	208,862
Total, less Customs and Excise	10,725,257	7,177,999	4,978,083	3,187,021	1,296,358	1,134,528	28,499,246	15,191,128	43,690,374
Total	10,725,257	7,177,999	4,978,083	3,187,021	1,296,358	1,134,528	28,499,246	56,637,858	85,137,104
Motor Tax not paid to Revenue*	330,399	—	373,966	*n*	*n*	—	—	—	—

(*n*) not stated.

RELATIVE (Per Head of Population).

	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	‡ s. d.	[a] s. d.	[b] s. d.	[b] s. d.
Customs and Excise	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	133 0	133 0
Probate and Succession Duties	13 4	12 10	12 4	11 5	4 2	9 3	12 1	5 8	17 9
Other Stamp Duties	14 0	11 7	12 5	15 6	13 10	5 10	12 11	..	12 11
Land Tax	..	6 5	11 10	15 11	8 4	9 0	5 10	9 9	15 6
Income and Dividend Tax	53 2	34 11	67 9	62 8	33 0	25 11	48 10	32 6	81 4
Totalisator, Betting, and Lotteries	3 9	1 7	3 1	2 10	3 0	42 11 [c]	4 3	..	4 3
Motor Tax	..	10 7	..	..	..	4 7	3 2	..	3 2
Other Taxes	4 9	4 2	2 2	1 9	3 5	3 7	3 10	0 9 †	4 7
Licences	0 5	0 5	1 2	0 8	0 4	4 0	0 8	..	0 8
Total	89 5	82 6	110 9	110 9	66 1	105 1 ‡	91 7	48 8	140 2
Total	89 5	82 6	110 9	110 9	66 1	105 1‡	91 7	181 8	273 2

[a] In relation to the total population of the six States as at 31/12/27 = 6,224,757. [b] In relation to population of Commonwealth, 6,234,853. [c] Includes from Totalisator, 1s. 4d. * Only about one-third of a penny. † Includes from war-time profits tax Dr. £112,237. ‡ Includes from Lotteries (shown in [c]), Stamp duty, 14s. 3d.; Company tax, 27s. 4d.—total, 41s. 7d.

SUMMARY OF TOTAL STATE AND COMMONWEALTH TAXATION (Per Head of Population).

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth.			Total Commonwealth & States.
							Customs & Excise.	Other Taxes.	Total.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1918-19	2 1 8	1 18 2	3 18 7	2 11 10	2 0 7	2 14 9	3 8 7	3 0 10	6 9 5	8 16 6
1919-20	2 8 9	2 2 0	4 10 1	2 17 10	2 11 7	2 18 1	4 1 4	3 16 5	7 17 9	10 11 9
1920-21	3 10 8	2 10 4	4 17 11	3 6 0	2 17 9	3 6 7	5 17 7	3 16 2	9 13 9	13 1 0
1921-22	3 8 2	2 8 11	4 8 10	3 10 10	2 12 7	3 6 8	5 0 4	4 0 0	9 0 4	12 5 2
1922-23	3 11 10	2 11 3	4 4 6	3 10 10	2 17 6	3 6 6	5 16 8	3 0 5	8 17 1	12 3 8
1923-24	3 12 4	2 15 1	4 9 2	3 10 2	3 6 4	4 4 9	6 4 5	2 12 6	8 16 11	12 6 7
1924-25	3 12 0	2 18 2	4 13 9	4 5 1	3 7 3	6 0 0	6 6 8	2 13 3	8 19 11	12 13 9
1925-26	3 17 0	3 9 1	4 15 4	4 16 5	3 16 3	5 14 3	6 10 10	2 10 8	9 1 6	13 1 11
1926-27	5 1 8	3 14 11	5 2 1	4 18 10	3 4 0	5 14 7	7 2 7	2 10 6	9 13 1	14 5 1
1927-28	4 9 5	4 2 6	5 10 9	5 10 9	3 6 1	5 5 1	6 13 0	2 8 8	9 1 8	13 13 2

SUMMARY OF INCOME (AND DIVIDEND) TAX IN STATES AND COMMONWEALTH (Per Head).

States and Commonwealth.	1927-28.	1926-27.	1925-26.	1924-25.	1923-24.	1922-23.	1921-22.	1920-21.	1919-20.	1918-19.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales	2 13 2	3 6 0	2 6 11	2 1 4	1 19 7	1 18 8	1 18 4	2 2 1	1 2 8	1 4 0
Victoria	1 14 11	1 7 10	1 6 7	1 5 1	1 0 11	0 19 1	0 18 7	1 0 10	0 12 2	0 12 11
Queensland	3 7 9	3 4 0	3 0 10	3 0 1	2 16 8	2 14 6	2 17 0	3 4 1	2 14 10	2 7 6
South Australia	3 2 8	2 8 6	2 11 7	2 7 1	1 14 1	1 15 2	1 18 10	1 14 8	1 7 6	1 3 8
Western Australia	1 13 0	1 12 8	2 4 9	1 19 4	1 8 5	1 13 9	0 19 2	1 0 2	0 16 7	0 14 8
Tasmania*	1 5 11	1 8 3	2 5 9	2 12 4	1 10 4	1 0 7	1 3 8	1 4 1	0 18 10	0 18 5
Commonwealth	1 12 6	1 16 5	1 16 3	1 17 1	1 18 5	2 5 10	3 0 11	2 13 0	2 8 5	2 0 10
Total	4 1 4	4 6 3	3 19 8	3 18 1	3 13 11	4 0 2	4 14 11	4 9 9	3 12 10	3 4 5

* Excluding Lotteries.

PUBLIC DEBT OF AUSTRALASIAN STATES ON 30TH JUNE, 1928.

STATE.	Public Debt, 30th June, 1928.			Loans falling due during Years 1928 to 1933 (Approximate).						
	Amount.	Per Head.		Rate of Interest. (Approx.)	1928 & Overdue.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1933.
	£	£	s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	245,247,907	101	18 0	5·0	7,428,456	1,161,850	3,340,086	11,984,042	5,483,244	20,422,681
Victoria	158,183,470	90	12 0	4·9	8,593,129	20,111,649	13,954,284	3,271,027	3,693,084	4,636,871
Queensland	111,733,969	124	6 0	4·8	280,000	13,464,434	5,889,510	713,220	29,000	1,198,000
South Australia‡	90,612,402	157	0 0	5·2	1,100,235	7,286,623	2,050,624	2,400,250	5,720,352	4,250,237
Western Australia	76,427,764	194	16 0	4·6	1,907,204	1,581,279	3,845,409	1,219,857	1,726,525	2,012,347
Tasmania	24,872,785	115	4 6	4·8	1,060,602	1,856,917	2,290,921	589,527	252,552	975,269
Commonwealth	494,129,100	79	16 0	5·3	24,676,828	2,804,682	72,665,040	29,347,050	...	45,774,950
*Six States and Commonwealth	1,067,576,639	171	5 0	5·1	45,046,454	48,267,074	104,035,874	49,524,973	16,904,757	79,270,355
New Zealand	251,396,252	173	4 0	5·0	49,170	16,523,945	41,949,357	20,449,506	6,747,306	5,207,863
Total	1,318,972,891	171	12 0	5·05	45,095,624	64,791,019	145,985,231	69,974,479	23,652,063	84,478,218

NOTE.—Particulars received from States' Statisticians. The amounts shown as falling due in certain years, where the actual date of redemption is not specified, are estimated

* Excluding £11,035,447, the value of properties transferred from States; £86,747,243 borrowed for States, and £35,848,068 lent to States for War and Repatriation purposes (Total, £133,630,758), which are probably duplicated in Public Debt.

‡ Not including Loan for construction of Oodnadatta Railway, which amount is shown in Commonwealth Debt.

DECENNIAL SUMMARY—PUBLIC DEBT OF AUSTRALIA.

YEAR (30th June).	Gross Public Debt—			Net Public Debt of Australia. (Approx.)	Net Public Debt Per Capita. (Approx.)
	Of Commonwealth.	Of States.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£ s.
1918	284,055,069	392,540,161	676,595,230	653,000,000	131 3
1919	325,770,747	396,356,149	722,126,896	694,000,000	136 12
1920	381,309,905	417,309,772	798,619,677	770,000,000	145 5
1921	401,720,024	458,408,900	860,128,924	804,000,000	148 11
1922	416,070,509	506,880,626	922,951,135	862,000,000	156 9
1923	410,996,316	533,560,201	944,556,517	887,000,000	157 8
1924	415,600,099	585,959,013	1,001,559,112	943,000,000	163 6
1925	430,947,592	590,743,223	1,021,690,815	942,000,000	160 8
1926	458,443,351	625,985,354	1,084,428,705	990,000,000	165 4
1927	461,067,742	663,568,858	1,124,636,600	1,019,000,000	166 16
1928	494,129,100	707,078,297	1,201,207,397	1,068,000,000	171 6

ACCUMULATION.

STATES.	Bank Deposits (30th June, 1928).		
	Trading Banks.	Government Savings Banks.	Other Savings Banks.
	£	£	£
New South Wales*	132,536,143	78,351,732	...
Victoria	101,675,550	66,826,768	...
Queensland	66,660,282	23,324,829	...
South Australia	56,285,974	24,941,688	...
Western Australia	16,459,935	10,555,553	89,820
Tasmania	8,871,794	1,646,894	3,875,871
Total Six States	382,489,678	205,647,464	3,965,691
New Zealand	54,903,208	47,758,726	7,657,407
Total	437,392,886	253,406,190	11,623,098

*Year 1927.

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FINANCE.

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MUNICIPALITIES.

FINANCE AND GENERAL.

MUNICIPALITY.	Value of Property.†		Main Roads.			All Roads.		
				Expenditure by—			Length of—	
	Unimproved Value.	Total Capital Value.	Mileage.	Government. Allocation of £29,747 out of Consolidated Revenue.	Municipalities. Contributed by Councils.	Government "Aid to Road Rates."*	Metalled or Gravelled.	Other.
	£	£	Miles.	£	£	£	Miles.	Miles.
Hobart City	4,761,011	11,892,784	..	..	..	..	114½	..
Glenorchy	910,430	2,134,128	8¼	500	275	541	93½	10
Launceston	2,192,022	5,972,786	..	..	..	..	64	18
Devonport	494,422	1,191,893	12	650	461	373	28	20
Total Urban Division	8,357,885	21,191,591	20¼	1150	736	914	300	48
North-Western Division—								
Circular Head	656,775	1,272,906	34	1050	792	697	214	316
Deloraine	583,741	1,091,221	43	1050	691	287	190	120
Emu Bay	777,667	1,674,135	9	825	557	470	112	150
Kentish	454,029	947,376	15	475	380	405	250	217
King Island	355,094	589,159	36	225	197	166	85	126
Latrobe	426,142	891,597	15	625	422	244	100	112
Leven	637,770	1,315,332	9	525	354	443	325	280
Penguin	372,546	727,212	9	550	371	202	397	..
Table Cape	689,527	1,327,346	42	1475	1032	621	136	200
Total N.W. Division	4,953,291	9,836,284	212	6800	4796	3535	1809	1521
North-Eastern Division—								
Beaconsfield	324,301	724,735	29	1000	625	203	165	180
Fingal	344,386	582,596	72½	1100	880	..	300	150
Flinders	136,524	221,373	..	..	..	98	60	110
George Town	102,525	186,554	18½	275	206	80	230	..
Lilydale	269,687	508,653	26½	500	369	215	280	230
Portland	59,893	146,047	40	950	522	175	203	96
Ringarooma	316,060	661,384	29	675	531	447	314	87
Scottsdale	251,287	535,516	20	700	525	221	220	70
Total N.E. Division	1,804,663	3,566,858	235½	5200	3658	1439	1772	923
North-Midland Division—								
Evandale	554,504	776,018	15½	550	302	69	117	20
Longford	777,264	1,226,875	6½	375	206	241	160	70
St. Leonards	472,853	884,513	30	1050	638	252	85	65
Westbury	609,064	1,054,714	24	900	495	188	250	106
Total N. Mid. Division	2,413,685	3,942,120	76	2875	1641	750	612	261
Midland Division—								
Bothwell	565,589	803,249	9	550	413	254	238	232
Campbell Town	459,910	684,630	30	975	671	45	200	24
Hamilton	546,053	907,938	39	500	475	271	160	238
Oatlands	683,875	1,153,693	24	850	574	296	320	80
Ross	302,789	419,856	12	425	287	41	64	56
Total Midland Division	2,558,216	3,969,366	114	3300	2420	907	982	630
South-Eastern Division—								
Brighton	298,036	593,243	11	500	275	112	58	50
Clarence	301,928	853,617	10½	275	151	154	82	25
Glamorgan	137,972	237,901	57	875	547	112	116	14
Green Ponds	195,835	372,692	20	725	501	69	191	..
Richmond	241,933	487,316	8	275	192	148	175	35
Sorell	256,042	517,236	41	1075	753	113	240	39
Spring Bay	119,863	237,235	37	575	417	58	150	100
Total S.E. Division	1,551,609	3,299,240	184½	4300	2836	766	922	263
Southern Division—								
Bruny	36,237	100,420	..	..	..	51	47	59
Esperance	122,597	449,898	18	650	439	301	220	50
Huon	221,606	906,258	22	1400	820	426	240	160
Kingborough	271,357	815,200	31¼	1350	788	286	95	204
New Norfolk	240,771	853,257	21	950	594	332	193	61
Port Cygnet	159,135	587,574	15½	850	644	289	266	150
Tasman	43,949	138,900	15	500	262	98	77	78
Total Southern Division	1,095,652	3,851,507	122¾	5700	3547	1783	1138	762
Western Division—								
Gormanston	3,355	22,492	1	25	25	..	25	190
Queenstown	16,290	102,025	3	75	75	156	16	6
Strahan	6,173	24,671	..	..	..	..	19	6
Waratah	75,910	156,188	22	300	262	..	50	40
Zeehan	30,461	145,611	..	..	..	..	77	22
Total Western Division	132,189	450,987	26	400	362	156	187	264
Grand Total	22,867,190	50,107,953	991	29,725	19,996	10,250	7722	4672

* Excluding £750 set aside for upkeep of Sorell Causeway and Bridgewater Bridge. † State Government Valuation.

MUNICIPAL FINANCE, 1927-28.

Municipality.	Annual Value of Property.	Receipts.												Expenditure.						
		From Revenue.												From Revenue.						
		Rates.							Other Sources.											
		General.	Water.	Light.	Road.	Health.	Other.	Total Rates.	Licences.	Government Grants.	Services.	Other	From Loans.	Total Receipts.	Works, Services, &c.	Interest on Loans, &c.	Redemption Sinking Funds, &c.	Salaries and Office Expenses.	Other.	From Loans.	Total Expenditure.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Hobart City	781,950	96,870	29,201	..	..	14,284	49,441	189,796	1062	..	149,445	33,055	33,800	407,158	208,511	92,340	27,398	29,597	741	43,346	401,933
Glenorchy	114,820	1758	7747	1152	8487	1013	4155	24,312	258	2228	8588	638	446	36,470	16,772	8602	1986	3018	1203	3676	35,257
Launceston	376,644	49,991	13,969	..	..	4687	17,185	85,832	692	1551	137,494	6145	178,504	410,218	143,216	40,079	10,507	18,430	..	284,446	496,678
Devonport	73,382	385	6206	2539	4992	959	1741	16,822	167	3296	11,317	1849	6701	40,152	20,407	1619	903	2068	..	6691	31,688
Total Urban Division	1,346,796	149,004	57,123	3691	13,479	20,943	72,522	316,762	2179	7075	306,844	41,687	219,451	893,998	388,906	142,640	40,794	53,113	1944	338,159	965,556
North-Western Division—																					
Circular Head	60,433	445	..	142	3544	223	1030	5384	285	2000	2062	772	3600	14,103	9840	472	66	1351	198	3508	15,435
Deloraine	54,632	..	591	522	3657	229	498	5497	230	906	..	924	..	7557	5117	673	..	1841	330	..	7961
Emu Bay	60,330	798	1521	242	5362	268	2443	10,634	183	4123	9241	3002	5800	32,983	20,997	2964	1195	1866	..	5624	32,646
Kentish	42,500	697	..	295	2787	174	450	4403	275	1545	..	2025	2000	10,248	6169	349	119	687	492	1762	9578
King Island	33,245	1012	..	..	2385	..	103	3500	13	475	..	1299	..	5287	3643	176	25	851	57	..	4752
Latrobe	34,302	590	1030	..	2652	131	673	5076	157	1068	..	468	..	6769	6354	312	78	908	90	..	7742
Leven	56,495	1069	975	1063	3569	208	1527	8411	261	2025	..	8664	5525	24,886	11,070	2579	472	1259	1680	5525	22,585
Penguin	23,610	627	203	258	1752	129	208	3177	88	679	685	615	..	5244	3138	424	..	628	158	..	4348
Table Cape	56,007	991	497	77	4030	260	704	6559	226	2763	4622	1451	1500	17,121	14,488	1227	694	780	180	1559	18,928
Total N.W. Division	421,554	6229	4817	2599	29,738	1622	7636	52,641	1718	15,584	16,610	19,220	18,425	124,198	80,816	9176	2649	10,171	3185	17,978	123,975
North-Eastern Division—																					
Beaconsfield	32,339	663	..	..	3515	101	568	4847	22	950	250	53	..	6122	4268	8	27	1295	59		5657
Fingal	31,757	257	600	..	1548	128	488	3021	276	1292	..	444	..	5033	4731	200	116	854	.	.	5901
Flinders Island	10,372	243	..	..	794	478	..	1515	21	370	29	17	..	1952	1208	6	..	429	50	..	1693
George Town	9182	126	248	..	749	83	..	1206	46	670	..	340	..	2262	1326	473	84	320	6	..	2209
Lilydale	20,857	514	332	..	1379	245	190	2660	80	1430	82	585	..	4837	3670	213	46	585	200	..	4714
Portland	13,917	485	..	..	958	245	173	1861	94	1491	..	836	..	4282	3265	33	..	547	43	..	3888
Ringarooma	50,184	893	221	..	3294	338	1287	6033	133	4667	1914	470	..	13,217	9249	561	144	1454	2088	..	13,496
Scottsdale	29,763	414	772	300	2118	237	15	3856	50	1150	2774	18	..	7848	6822	904	228	729	333	..	9016
Total N.E. Division	198,371	3595	2173	300	14,355	1855	2721	24,999	722	12,020	5049	2763	..	45,553	34,539	2398	645	6213	2779	..	46,574

NORTH MIDLAND DIVISION—																				
Evandale	30,000	628	..	..	2636	377	..	3641	39	2004	..	862	..	6546	3844	..	..	657	711	..	5212
Longford	57,890	1110	842	894	4423	336	251	7856	182	763	1055	578	..	10,434	6622	643	131	981	362	..	8739
St. Leonards	35,931	1085	752	187	2743	465	.	5232	150	1212	..	672	..	7266	4989	380	215	1178	169	..	6931
Westbury	47,662	459	515	..	3668	459	229	5330	248	1425	..	477	..	7480	7309	245	19	857	128	..	8558
Total N. Mid. Division	171,483	3282	2109	1081	13,470	1637	480	22,059	619	5404	1055	2589	..	31,726	22,764	1268	365	3673	1370	..	29,440
MIDLAND DIVISION—																				
Bothwell	36,882	77	421	285	3227	173	92	4275	246	1208	.	1438	350	7517	5438	245	86	616	..	350	6735
Campbell Town	30,574	554	323	..	2412	429	272	3990	271	1156	2341	781	3500	12,039	7550	182	92	716	18	3076	11,634
Hamilton	35,506	294	..	..	2501	147	144	3086	258	1246	..	391	..	4981	4236	38	54	499	..	..	4827
Oatlands	43,715	355	..	..	2844	..	479	3678	260	447	1297	1259	4309	11,250	10,248	50	4	824	488	4239	15,853
Ross	23,393	305	276	..	1221	76	74	1952	60	671	580	1243	..	4506	5651	145	..	..	350	..	6146
Total Midland Division	170,070	1585	1020	285	12,205	825	1061	16,981	1095	4728	4218	5112	8159	40,293	33,123	660	236	2655	856	7665	45,195
SOUTH-EASTERN DIVISION—																				
Brighton	24,672	300	..	..	1601	300	44	2245	123	318	130	333	..	3149	2072	..	..	573	104	..	2749
Clarence	40,808	753	..	573	3561	292	831	6010	150	154	..	286	4500	11,100	4787	127	212	730	..	4500	10,356
Glamorgan	11,923	427	321	..	1140	191	100	2179	105	822	1396	9	1750	6261	2867	56	12	732	163	1693	5523
Green Ponds	16,851	211	..	..	1120	2	32	1365	125	860	..	182	..	2532	1825	..	..	431	75	..	2331
Richmond	20,520	257	..	..	1369	257	24	1907	150	547	..	167	600	3371	1751	13	22	582	1202	535	4105
Sorell	24,749	669	435	..	1780	..	37	2921	154	1385	..	169	..	4629	2968	343	55	701	..	..	4067
Spring Bay	10,989	257	..	..	688	86	64	1095	69	653	..	105	..	1922	1037	..	..	482	29	..	1548
Total S.E. Division	150,512	2874	756	573	11,259	1128	1132	17,722	876	4739	1526	1251	6850	32,964	17,307	539	301	4231	1573	6728	30,679
SOUTHERN DIVISION—																				
Bruny	3471	151	..	..	260	29	34	474	23	127	43	32	..	699	580	23	6	165	89	..	863
Esperance	22,400	355	..	..	1597	444	227	2623	21	1328	1433	87	..	5492	7051	11	..	565	46	..	7673
Huon	33,769	548	..	463	2219	300	80	3610	146	3934	5594	774	..	14,058	9922	1522	..	1600	1433	..	14,477
Kingborough	35,584	394	..	499	2234	276	446	3849	71	812	3003	233	..	7968	6123	387	279	694	180	..	7663
New Norfolk	57,339	227	843	263	4998	909	738	7978	412	400	..	215	..	9005	5746	..	..	1073	88	..	6907
Port Cygnet	29,496	356	719	393	1882	237	310	3897	71	1842	2724	834	1200	10,568	7835	1020	303	765	..	1332	11,255
Tasman	7305	307	..	..	629	400	26	1362	69	236	..	748	..	2415	1817	7	..	325	49	..	2198
Total S. Division	189,364	2338	1562	1618	13,819	2595	1861	23,793	813	8679	12,797	2923	1200	50,205	39,074	2970	588	5187	1885	1332	51,036
WESTERN DIVISION—																				
Gormanston	5365	793	495	..	261	..	634	2183	18	210	..	201	..	2612	1422	276	67	602	158	..	2525
Queenstown	19,480	597	475	..	1565	..	1270	3907	49	746	4549	1896	..	11,147	7555	580	129	1147	263	..	9674
Strahan	6749	472	..	..	..	..	344	816	30	250	..	288	..	1384	1217	..	..	303	..	..	1520
Waratah	16,211	401	..	..	804	..	265	1470	51	750	..	136	..	2407	1893	14	..	559	33	..	2499
Zeehan	25,192	1245	..	630	1560	..	1080	4515	27	..	..	2827	..	7369	5614	2506	..	497	..	929	9546
Total Western Division	72,997	3508	970	630	4190	..	3593	12,891	175	1956	4549	5348	..	24,919	17,701	3376	196	3108	454	929	25,764
Gand Total	2,721,147	172,415	70,530	10,777	112,515	30,605	91,006	487,848	8197	60,185	352,648	80,893	254,085	1,243,856	634,230	163,027	45,774	88,351	14,046	372,791	1,318,219

MUNICIPAL FINANCE.

GENERAL Summary of Receipts and Expenditure, Years 1918—1927-28.

RECEIPTS.

	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927-28.
Number of Municipalities	51	51	49	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
From Rates—General.....	56,843	66,713	74,498	96,198	102,084	141,556	63,743	157,158	179,660	172,415
Water.....	42,655	46,569	45,574	45,414	56,817	60,028	58,993	67,578	69,834	70,530
Light	9,310	9,868	7,715	15,332	9,339	14,067	14,999	12,613	9,282	10,777
Road	58,626	61,316	65,241	69,819	73,375	78,043	168,400	92,836	102,109	112,515
Health	41,275	33,019	15,550	25,837	35,855	39,377	36,031	34,344	30,991	30,605
Other.....	7,523	23,176	46,854	51,025	57,859	68,858	81,137	82,558	87,397	91,006
Total from Rates	216,232	240,661	255,432	303,625	335,329	401,929	423,303	447,087	479,273	487,848
From Licences	6,896	6,689	7,209	8,088	7,847	8,977	8,867	9,197	8,583	8,197
From State Government	22,266	33,967	29,072	28,139	32,750	27,289	32,195	39,531	51,722	60,185
From Services.....	311,615	297,569	465,347	548,165	471,169	470,549	376,372	903,078	396,118	332,743
From Other Sources.....										100,798
Total Receipts	557,009	578,886	757,060	888,017	847,095	908,744	840,637	1,398,893	935,696	989,771

EXPENDITURE.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Works, Services, &c.	319,026	398,101	420,110	453,774	596,743	518,048	562,384	609,290	504,985	634,230
Interest on Loans	87,382	101,796	90,240	101,546	114,546	126,013	132,018	141,523	151,225	163,027
Redemption Sinking Funds, &c.	78,057	23,444	199,010	18,488	20,418	27,722	28,852	34,109	44,330	45,774
Salaries and Office Expenses ...	40,501	39,338	45,931	60,377	65,529	64,364	85,316	83,347	84,102	88,351
Other	33,973	22,812	14,769	23,227	17,283	141,628	245,365	259,481	103,857	14,046
Total	558,489	585,491	770,060	657,412	814,519	877,775	1,053,935	1,127,750	888,499	945,428

MARINE BOARDS AND HARBOUR TRUSTS, 1927-28.

REVENUE ACCOUNT.

Name of Board or Trust.	Receipts from—				Expenditure.					Balance.	
	Taxes, Dues, &c.	Government Grants, &c.	Other Sources.	Total.	Works and Services.	Interest on Loans, &c.	Administration.	Other	Total.	From last Year.	To next Year.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Marine Board—											
Hobart—Leading Lights	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
General Account	39,334	...	1942	41,276	15,948	11,734*	7116	2234	37,032	814	5058
Launceston	66,206	...	...	66,206	23,463	24,423	5127	8923	61,936	386	4656
Circular Head	3274	...	237	3511	2673	2390	429	276	5768	3812	1555
Burnie and Table Cape	18,020	...	4216	22,236	2397	14,500	1667	3754	22,318	558	476
Mersey	23,124	...	1072	24,196	7872	10,231	2209	878	21,190	19,503	22,509
Strahan	3828	...	...	3828	711	2000	1168	38	3917	942	853
King Island	1116	120	58	1294	514	...	306	106	926	233	601
Harbour Trust—											
Smithton	444	...	49	493	117	...	117	...	234	1308	1567
Leven (General Account)	5507	775	13	6295	4525	574	539	152	5790	—732	—227
North-Eastern	6	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	9	15
Total	160,859	895	7587	169,341	58,220	65,852*	18,678	16,361	159,111	26,834	37,064

*Including £7000 redeemed from Revenue.

OTHER ACCOUNTS.

Name of Board or Trust.	Receipts from—				Expenditure.				Balance.	
	Taxes, Dues, &c.	Government Grants, &c.	Other Sources	Total.	Interest on Loans, &c.	Administration.	Other	Total	From last Year.	To next Year.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Hobart	...	...	1980	1980	...	...	1042	1042	12,257	13.195
Launceston	...	...	11,928	11,928	...	34	...	34	30,370	42,264
Mersey	104	...	12	116	...	68	20	88	—715	—687
Strahan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	840	840
Total	104	...	13,920	14,024	...	102	1062	1164	42,752	55,612

LIGHTHOUSES.

NOTE.—Leading Lights are shown in Revenue Account (Lighthouses are under Commonwealth Control.)

MARINE BOARDS AND HARBOUR TRUSTS.

Years 1906 *to* 1927-28 *inclusive.*

	No. of Marine Boards.	Receipts.						Expenditure.
		Wharfage.	Pilotage.	Harbour Dues.	Government.*	Other Receipts.	Total.	
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1906	7	32,037	2198	6513	3500	16,304†	60,552	51,665
1907	7	33,296	2572	6731	6070	16,331†	58,930	67,858
1908	7	36,021	3051	7498	...	13,929	60,499	56,572
		Taxes, Rents, &c.						
1909	7	45,930			7571	10,943	64,444	70,770
1910	9	47,261			4400	10,403	62,064	57,949
1911	9	54,336			3000	4973	62,309	57,413
1912	9	55,030			68,010	6840	129,880	137,444
1913	9	59,033			98,030	6865	163,928	152,114
1914	9	55,398			30,873	13,960	100,231	124,126
1915	10	58,271			5891	30,837	94,999	149,205
1916	10	62,551			13,536	4977	81,064	101,363
1917	10	61,370			35,734	7648	104,752	103,715
1918	10	64,426			898	15,156	80,480	90,543
1919	10	73,485			998	15,552	90,035	100,298
1920	10	85,845			5154	83,412	174,411	207,378
1921	10	109,363			3867	4957	118,187	116,358
1922-23*a*	10	143,200			19,023	21,743	183,966	172,485
1923-24*b*	10	162,737			2910	12,844	178,491	179,224
1924-25	10	130,807			2284	11,560	144,651	134,508
1925-26	10	132,702			...	10,025	142,727	150,094
1926-27	10	144,777			...	11,928	156,705	180,659
1927-28	10	160,859			895	7587	169,341	159,111

* Including Loans. † Less cross entries. (*a*) 18 months. (*b*) Excluding Leading Lights.

LIGHTHOUSES.

Years 1906 *to* 1927 *inclusive.*

	No. of Light-houses.	Receipts.					Expenditure.
		Receipts from Light Dues & other sources.	Contributions of other Governments.	Advances by Treasury.	Other Receipts.	Total.	
		£	£	£	£	£	£
1906	21	7003	4139	4402	949	16,493	16,717
1907	22	7788	2708	...	231	10,727	12,413
1908	22	8576	3680	...	55	12,311	12,686
1909	23	7606	2627	...	46	10,279	11,857
1910	23	7577	2790	...	76	10,443	10,945
1911	22	7677	2642	...	48	10,367	11,117
1912	22	7777	2702	...	322	10,801	11,590
1913	22	7868	2727	...	39	10,634	11,947
1914	22	8332	3108	...	42	11,482	13,057
1915	22	4296	6362	...	84	10,742	7853
1916	10	...	1170	...	51	1221	1303
1917	10	...	1300	...	41	1341	1322
1918	10	...	1250	...	51	1301	1327
1919	10	...	1250	...	48	1298	1335
1920	...	50	1362	...	8	1420	1437
1921	10	54	1740	...	...	1794	1802
1922	10	58	1420	...	...	1478	1596
1923	10	64	1450	...	...	1514	1298
1924	10	...	850	...	48	898	988
1925	10	...	...	...	...	...	7
1926	10	...	...	...	...	...	...
1927	10	...	...	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—From 1915 only Leading Lights are shown, the chief Lighthouses having then been placed under control of Commonwealth Government; and contributions from that time are from State Government.

WATERWORKS.

RETURN for the Year 1927-28.

Name and Situation of Reservoir.	Properties Assessed.	People served with Water (Estimated).	Property Served.		Capacity of Reservoir.	Length of—		Cost of Construction at end of Year.	Loans Current.	Assessment (Rate in the £).
			Annual Value.	Area (Estimated).		Aqueduct and Main.	Reticulation.			
	No.	No.	£	Acres.	Galls.	Miles.	Miles.	£	£	s. d.
WATERWORKS—										
Bothwell .....Clyde*	165	424	2941	142	140,625	1½	2½	2460	1800	1 6
Campbell Town...Kearney's Bogs	256	750	3940	50	120,000	1¼	8½	3400	2388	1 6
Cygnet	244	1000	8363	2380	280,000	6½	5	5500	4548	1 3
Deloraine	355	2000	8851	200	200,000	1½	10	5200	5200	1 4
Devonport.....Mersey†	1734	5000	59,536	1700	2,000,000	9	20	53,500	53,500	2 0
Emu Bay	1018	4500	26,357	1500	3,000,000	10	10	17,300	17,300	1 0
Glamorgan .....Swansea	83	250	2423	200	64,000	1½	2	1196	850	2 0
Glenorchy.....Glenorchy ...	2921	7800	101,452	(n)	200,000,000	50		154,342	133,942	1 6
Hobart ....City Reservoirs†	10,406	39,316	781,950	3000	307,000,000	45	125	430,425	357,888	0 10
Latrobe .....Latrobe†.....	470	1400	9200	2500	950,000	3¼	11	8460	7800	2 0
Launceston.....Hill-street ... High-street†	8334	30,000	390,434	9300	5,443,000	23	81	218,338	132,178	0 8
Leven.....	814	3000	19,602	750	182,000	7	5	10,000	10,000	0 8
Longford .....Longford	420	232	6760	650	162,000	2	14	5400	2461	2 0
Cressy.....	105	62	1250	276	120,000	½	3½	1500	654	3 6
New Norfolk.....Lachlan*† ...	362	2000	11,137	(n)	(n)	8¾	6	10,000	...	1 0
Ross .....Macquarie River*† ...	153	77	1858	388	130,000	½	2	1755	1400	2 6
Sorell.....	109	400	1957	12	20,000,000	5¼	3	5500	5500	3 0
Westbury Municipality .....Rr. Liffey—										
Bracknell	72	290	750	640	(n)	2	2	650	622	2 6
Carrick	61	200	750	150	(n)	¾	...	200	...	1 0
Westbury-Hagley	271	1100	4200	1900	(n)	3	2	4000	2203	1 6
WATER TRUSTS—										
Campbell Town...Lake Leake*	205	1500	19,021	1500	6,048,000	4	...	12,500	...	0 1
Evandale .....High-street... Barclay-st....	172	600	2000	100	111,000	4½	2	3100	3100	3 6
Macquarie (Ross) Toom's Lake*	90	160	12,870	153,000	5,223,221,400	...	50	4710	...	0 1
Perth	207	550	2264	228	125,000	2	5	3200	3200	2 0
TOTALS	29,027	102,611	1,479,866	...	...	562¼		962,636	746,534	...

(n) No Record.

* Water taken almost direct from respective rivers or lakes.

† *Water Rates.*—Devonport, one-quarter rate where properties are more than 50 feet from main. Hobart, minimum amount, 13*s.*, 1*s.* 1*d.* on annual values not exceeding £40, over £40 = 1*s.* 1*d.* on £40 and 10*d.* on remainder. Latrobe, minimum 22*s.* 6*d.* Launceston, City, 7*d.*; St. Leonards, 2*s.*; Invermay and Trevallyn, 1*s.* 9*d.*; all other districts, 1*s.* 3*d.* New Norfolk, 12*s.* to 50*s.* per residence. Ross, minimum 15*s.* Cygnet, minimum 50*s.* Sorell, minimum £10.

WATER TRUSTS.*

RETURN showing Receipts and Expenditure of Water Trusts in Tasmania for the Year 1927.

Name of Trust.	Receipts.			Expenditure.				Balance.	
	Rates.	Other Sources.	Total.	Interest on Loans, &c.	Salaries and Office Expenses.	Other.	Total.	From Last Year.	To Next Year.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Campbell Town	79	6	85	...	86	11	97	14	2
Clyde (Bothwell)	...	...	...	...	15	5	20	56	36
Evandale (General Account)	356	89	445	...	65	378	443	—3	—1
Macquarie (Ross)	51	...	51	...	37	17	54	69	66
Perth	279	101	380	211	75	66	352	61	89
Total	765	196	961	211	278	477	966	197	192
Mount Cameron Water-race (Government)	1983	...	1983	(*n*)	705	217	922†	(*n*)	(*n*)
Total (including Mount Cameron)	2748	196	2944	211	983	694	1888†	...	...

*Exclusive of a number of Water Trusts incorporated in the newly organised Municipalities.
† Excluding Interest on Loans to Mount Cameron Water-race.
(*n*) Not stated.

CEMETERY TRUSTS.

RETURN showing Receipts and Expenditure of Cemetery Trusts for the Year 1927.

	Receipts.			Expenditure.			Balance.	
	Fees.	Other Sources.	Total.	Salaries and Office Expenses.	Other.	Total.	From Last Year.	To Next Year.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bridport	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5
Branxholm-Derby	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carnarvon	3	16	19	...	7	7	43	55
Coppington	4	...	4	...	3	3	2	3
Fingal	2	1	3	...	3	3	...	...
Frankford	1	...	1	1	1	2	1	...
Gladstone	2	...	2	...	2	2	1	1
Glenora	12	5	17	...	24	24	9	2
Hobart	2155	98	2253	439	1965	2404	601	450
Moorina	14	...	14	6	1	7	4	11
New Norfolk	75	4	79	25	33	58	87	108
North-West Bay	1	...	1	...	9	9	21	13
Penguin	21	...	21	5	20	25	33	29
Premaydena	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	2
St. Helens	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Marys	10	1	11	...	9	9	21	23
Surges Bay	1	1	2	3	...	3	...	—1
Ulverstone	35	8	43	10	24	34	83	92
Upper Piper	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Winkleigh	...	1	1	...	3	3	21	19
Wynyard	64	12	76	6	88	94	217	199
Total	2400	148	2548	495	2192	2687	1150	1011

LOCAL BODIES' LOANS.

MUNICIPAL LOANS.

Year 1927-28.

	Loans Raised.						Current Loans from Other Sources Raised Within the Commonwealth.	Interest, Annual Liability.	Total Sinking Fund at End of Year.	Loans Matured during Year.	
	During Year 1927-28.			Total Current at End of Year 1927-28.							
	From General Government.	From Other Sources.	Total.	From General Government.	From Other Sources.	Total.				Redeemed.	Renewed.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Hobart City	...	33,800	33,800	43,200	1,758,592	1,801,792	908,592	92,340	174,407	8200	58,500
Launceston	...	178,504	178,504	36,652	745,969	782,621	745,969	41,000	184,576	10,780	67,415
Glenorchy	250	...	250	152,140	...	152,140	...	8466	15,381	641	...
Devonport	4000	2701	6701	90,300	5001	95,301	5001	4538	29,134	...	...
Total Urban Divs.	4250	215,005	219,255	322,292	2,509,562	2,831,854	1,659,562	146,344	403,498	19,621	125,915
N.W. DIVISION—											
Circular Head	...	3600	3600	3100	4100	7200	4100	412	87	1000	...
Deloraine	...	...	...	10,950	...	10,950	...	550	3734	...	...
Emu Bay	...	5800	5800	53,350	13,394	66,744	13,394	3502	14,087	...	...
Kentish	2000	...	2000	6650	1000	7650	1000	433	823	...	...
King Island	...	...	...	2500	...	2500	...	144	388	...	...
Latrobe	...	...	...	7800	...	7800	...	312	5443	...	...
Leven	5500	25	5525	40,750	8745	49,495	...	2970	9956	200	...
Penguin	325	...	325	6550	250	6800	...	375	914	...	100
Table Cape	1500	...	1500	18,400	4050	22,450	...	1204	3893	...	300
Total N.W. Div.	9325	9425	18,750	150,050	31,539	181,589	18,494	9902	39,325	1200	400
N.E. DIVISION—											
Beaconsfield	...	...	...	150	...	150	...	8	75	...	...
Fingal	...	...	...	4400	...	4400	...	204	1252	...	...
Flinders Island	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
George Town	...	...	...	8000	...	8000	...	473	564	...	...
Lilydale	...	...	...	3700	...	3700	...	213	232	...	...
Portland	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ringarooma	...	...	...	3500	...	3500	...	101	426	...	...
Scottsdale	...	...	...	14,900	...	14,900	...	875	1005	...	...
Total N.E. Div.	...	...	...	34,650	...	34,650	...	1874	3554	...	...
NTH. MIDLAND DIV—											
Evandale*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Longford	...	...	...	1200	300	1500	...	643	4848	...	...
St. Leonards	...	...	...	7600	...	7600	...	380	1561	...	...
Westbury	...	...	...	4900	...	4900	...	200	2075	...	...
Total N.M. Div.	...	...	...	13,700	300	14,000	...	1223	8484	...	...
MIDLAND DIVISION—											
Bothwell	350	...	350	5150	...	5150	...	278	354	...	...
Campbell Town	...	3500	3500	3800	3500	7300	...	182	1102	...	...
Hamilton	...	...	...	...	700	700	700	38	54	...	...
Oatlands	...	4000	4000	350	4000	4350	...	23	5	...	...
Ross	...	1500	1500	3900	...	3900	...	195	1244	...	...
Total Midland Div.	350	9000	9350	13,200	8200	21,400	700	716	2759	...	...
S.E. DIVISION—											
Brighton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clarence	...	4500	4500	1150	...	1150	...	58	430	...	...
Glamorgan	250	1500	1750	1250	1500	2750	...	206	400	...	2750
Green Ponds	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Richmond	...	600	600	237	600	837	...	45	194	...	...
Sorell	...	...	...	5500	...	5500	...	320	855	...	...
Spring Bay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total S.E. Division	250	6600	6850	8137	2100	10,237	...	629	1879	...	2750

* See Water Trust.

LOCAL BODIES LOANS—*continued.*

MUNICIPAL LOANS—*continued.*

	Loans Raised.						Current Loans from other Sources raised within the Commonwealth.	Interest, Annual Liability.	Total Sinking Fund at End of year.	Loans maturing during Year.	
	During Year 1927-28.			Total Current at End of Year 1927-28.							
	From General Government.	From Other Sources.	Total.	From General Government.	From Other Sources.	Total.				Redeemed.	Renewed.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
SOUTHERN DIVISION—											
Bruny	...	...	...	200	...	200	...	23	57	...	...
Esperance	4000	...	4000	7200	...	7200	...	396	618	...	...
*Huon	...	...	...	18,600	2900	21,500	...	1182	1961	...	...
Kingborough	...	...	...	5900	1500	7400	...	407	1078	...	...
New Norfolk	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Cygnet	...	1200	1200	13,000	5798	18,798	...	1017	2501	...	...
Tasman	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total S. Division...	4000	1200	5200	44,900	10,198	55,098	...	3025	6215	...	...
WESTERN DIVISION—											
Gormanston	...	...	...	6750	...	6750	...	276	3069	...	...
Queenstown	...	...	...	11,860	...	11,860	...	538	4538	...	...
Strahan	...	...	...	1900	...	1900	...	98	964	...	...
Waratah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Zeehan	1500	...	1500	29,346	...	29,346	...	1443	7210	...	...
Total W. Division	1500	...	1500	49,856	...	49,856	...	2355	15,781	...	...
GRAND TOTAL	19,675	241,230	260,905	636,785	2,561,899	3,198,684	1,678,756	166,068	481,495	20,821	129,065

MARINE BOARD LOANS (1927-28).

Circular Head	...	...	...	26,000	...	26,000	...	2391	2110	...	...
Hobart	...	...	...	...	41,073	41,073	41,073	2315	1160	25,746	32,000
Launceston	12,000	3569	15,569	327,981	50,751	378,732	...	20,000	45,368	...	...
Mersey	...	...	...	157,007	...	157,007	...	8181	33,206	...	...
Burnie and Table Cape	...	...	...	230,000	...	230,000	...	12,500	19,592	...	...
Strahan	...	...	...	19,801	...	19,801	...	929	4008	...	...
Leven Harbour Trust	...	...	...	29,988	...	29,988	...	1400	2712	245	...
King Island	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
North-Eastern	...	...	...	3750	...	3750	...	206	208	...	...
Total	12,000	3569	15,569	794,527	91,824	886,351	41,073	47,922	108,364	25,991	32,000

WATER TRUST.

Evandale	...	...	...	3100	...	3100	...	154	1247	...	...
Perth	...	...	...	3200	...	3200	...	175	882	...	...
St. Helens	...	...	...	100	...	100	...	4	...	...	...
Total	...	...	...	6400	...	6400	...	333	2129	...	...

CEMETERY TRUSTS.

St. Marys	...	...	...	29	...	29	...	1	(*d*)	...	...
Fingal	...	...	...	35	...	35	...	2	(*d*)	...	...
Total	...	...	...	64	...	64	...	3	(*d*)	...	...
Total Local Bodies Loans	31,675	244,799	276,474	1,437,776	2,653,723	4,091,499	1,719,829	213,399	591,133	46,812	161,065

(*d*) No Sinking Funds—Loans payable by instalments.

DEBT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT BODIES.

At end of Years 1918–1927-28.

	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927-28.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Municipalities..	1,762,573	1,929,651	1,983 513	2,234,255	2,331,971	2,435,226	2,526,895	2,926,528	3,042,409	3,198,684
Marine Boards	705,158	734,282	728,895	788,621	814,343	831,670	853,041	885,454	894,555	886,351
Water Trusts.....	12,150	5,220	5,600	6,400	6,400	6,400	6,400	6,400	6,400	6,400
Cemetery Trusts	2,338	2,286	2,250	114	104	94	94	74	74	64
Totals	2,482,219	2,671,439	2,720,258	3,029,390	3,152,818	3,273,390	3,386,430	3,818,456	3,943,438	4,091,499

TAXATION.

Years 1918-19 *to* 1927-28.

AMOUNT.

	1918-19.	1919-20	1920-21	1921-22	1922-23	1923-24	1924-25	1925-26	1926-27.	1927-28.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Commonwealth Government—										
Customs (c)	153,913	226,020	456,230	360,037	399,160	455,473	404,958	365,527	399,437	400,638
Direct Taxation.....	344,564	453,454	439,944	584,818	367,402	357,061	356,710	265,587	164,832	196,011
General Government ...	555,536	609,576	708,603	727,701	728,175	928,360	1,306,361	1,239,967	1,229,823	1,134,528
Local Government (b) ...	282,897	324,111	352,115	423,878	*490,019	577,875	567,290	593,539	637,749	659,652

*Marine Board figures for 18 months are included.

PER HEAD.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Commonwealth Government—										
Customs (c)	0 15 2	1 1 7	2 2 11	1 13 0	1 16 6	2 1 7	1 17 2	1 13 8	1 17 2	1 17 1
Direct Taxation.....	1 14 0	2 3 2	2 1 4	2 13 7	1 13 7	1 12 7	1 12 9	1 4 6	0 15 4	0 18 2
General Government	2 14 9	2 18 1	3 6 7	3 6 8	3 6 6	4 4 10	5 19 11	5 14 3	5 14 7	5 5 1
Local Government.....	1 7 11	1 10 11	1 13 1	1 18 10	2 4 9	2 12 9	2 12 1	2 14 9	2 19 5	3 0 11

(b) Including all rates, licences, and dues (Marine Boards, Trusts, &c.) for the calendar years 1913 to 1922.
(c) Actual collections in Tasmania.

IMPERIAL PENSIONS.

SUMMARY of Payments for the Year 1927.

Month.	Army.	Navy.	Admiralty.	India.	Ministry of Pensions.	R. Irish Constabulary.	Civil.	Totals.
	£ s d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
January...	406 16 8	166 10 11	208 12 1	858 0 9	...	...	10 0 0	1650 0 5
February	52 19 2	6 5 0	...	690 15 11	...	...	...	750 0 1
March.....	54 4 0	6 5 0	...	647 7 3	...	...	...	707 16 3
April	424 7 8	150 11 2	205 7 3	833 14 3	...	...	10 0 0	1624 0 4
May	54 14 8	6 5 0	...	752 13 4	...	...	...	813 13 0
June	54 4 0	6 5 0	...	893 10 10	...	...	...	953 19 10
July.....	406 17 7	150 15 11	205 7 3	1022 6 11	...	...	...	1785 7 8
August ...	78 0 0	6 5 0	...	933 19 1	...	...	...	1018 4 1
September	58 4 0	6 5 0	...	794 4 9	...	...	8 15 4	867 9 1
October ...	409 0 4	150 15 11	200 17 3	1052 11 1	...	...	...	1813 4 7
November	73 8 4	6 5 0	...	789 14 7	...	...	...	869 7 11
December	65 2 2	6 5 0	...	831 6 0	...	...	...	902 13 2
Totals	2137 18 7	668 13 11	820 3 10	10,100 4 9	...	...	28 15 4	13,755 16 5

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EDUCATION.

TREASURY EXPENDITURE in connection with Educational System of Tasmania, for the Year 1927-28.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Per cent. to Total.
Tasmania University and Engineering School	...	18,990 0 0	5·54
Education Department—			
Salaries of Staff for Administration, &c.....	5040 0 4		
Public Schools generally (Salaries, &c.)	220,635 14 7		
Salaries, &c., of Medical Inspectors, Nurses, Dentists, &c.	4768 8 6		
Travelling Expenses, Forage Allowances. Inspectors, Director, &c.	2081 3 11		
Repairs to State Schools	8036 8 10		
Rents, Transfer Allowances, School Furniture and Fittings, Requisites, &c.	5950 9 1		
School Cleaning and General Maintenance, including Cleansing Out-offices and Fuel.....	10,250 19 4		
Expenditure, Boards of Advice	830 11 7		
Stationery and Stores, Printing and Advertising, Postal Charges, Telegrams, &c.....	2754 14 4		
Free Railway Tickets and Coach Fares	3953 7 8		
Free Stock Books, Materials	2027 0 10		
Subsidies to Teachers of Subsidised Schools.....	1301 14 10		
Retiring Allowances, &c.....	439 15 10		
Expenses of Teachers and Schools Registration	196 0 0		
Correspondence School—Salaries, &c.	1997 3 2		
Miscellaneous	317 7 10		
Technical Education Generally	20,686 17 4		
Education of Deaf Mutes and the Blind	...		
Bursaries Board and Scholarship Purposes	1459 0 0		
		292,726 18 0	85·40
Proportion of Interest properly chargeable to Education Department for year.....	...	31,085 0 0	9·06
		£342,801 18 0	100·00

Expenditure from Loans during Year on School Buildings £22,318

NOTE.—Expenditure for Libraries, Museums and Galleries (total £5090) not included.

DECENNIAL RETURN Showing Analysis of Expenditure in connection with the Education Department.

NOTE.—The following figures are from the records of the Education Department, and relate to Calendar Years.

Year.	Ministerial Office.	Inspection.	Medical and Dental Inspection.	Training of Teachers.	State High Schools.	Primary Schools.	Other Schools, &c.*	Technical Education.	Loan Expenditure.	Total Expenditure.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1918	4165	4168	2899	7284	8109	99,201	4442	4738	10,254	145,260
1919	4407	3815	2711	8772	8917	114,293	4703	10,335	18,376	176,329
1920	5189	5843	2773	14,249	12,263	140,969	6749	14,005	14,204	216,244
1921	6786	6868	4301	18,243	15,600	176,995	8632	18,067	45,766	301,258
1922	5972	7185	4732	17,753	15,868	183,505	8914	18,373	26,516	288,818
1923	5479	6521	4340	16,797	16,497	172,029	8488	18,637	7861	256,649
1924	6896	6856	4143	13,183	14,894	187,963	11,586	20,542	15,909	281,972
1925	6791	6874	4267	16,784	16,393	192,121	9057	20,410	37,389	310,086
1926	6624	6897	4333	15,915	17,520	199,809	9392	21,114	25,533	307,137
1927	7438	6999	4138	16,348	18,331	199,731	9520	23,519	16,900	302,924

* Including Subsidised, Cookery, Woodwork and Ironwork, and Correspondence Schools, Veterinary Science Scholarship, and Education of Deaf Mutes and the Blind.

STATE SCHOOLS in operation, 1st January to 31st December, 1927.

District.	No. of Schools.	Aggregate Enrolment of Scholars during the year.			Average Daily Attendance.
		Males.	Females.	Total.	
High Schools—					
Hobart	1	220	250	470	413·9
Launceston	1	141	214	355	311·3
Devonport	1	140	120	260	239·6
Burnie	1	50	43	93	82·7
Scottsdale	1	41	44	85	70·2
Primary—					
Hobart	12	3484	3222	6706	4532·4
Launceston	8	2273	2117	4390	3217·2
Beaconsfield	15	291	280	571	395·2
Bothwell	5	114	91	205	161·0
Brighton	10	225	214	439	294·2
Bruny	4	48	46	94	73·3
Campbell T'wn	6	120	140	260	173·7
Clarence	7	311	297	608	432·8
Circular Head	20	653	576	1229	892·9
Deloraine	23	608	492	1100	758·3
Devonport	7	779	534	1313	882·7
Emu Bay	13	596	589	1185	810·3
Evandale	7	160	139	299	211·5
Esperance	10	338	341	679	492·6
Fingal	11	366	381	747	536·8
Flinders	6	82	90	172	121·3
George Town	5	91	95	186	140·0
Glamorgan	2	70	63	133	91·6
Glenorchy	5	833	828	1661	1116·5
Gormanston	2	81	65	146	110·8
Green Ponds	5	94	90	184	127·5
Hamilton	7	118	157	275	182·3
Huon	12	421	418	839	612·3
Kentish	22	559	570	1129	751·8
Kingborough	14	341	370	711	484·6
King Island	5	90	78	168	101·8
Latrobe	7	251	285	536	398·0
Leven	13	516	468	984	730·1
Lilydale	16	276	281	557	427·5
Longford	10	341	291	632	449·4
New Norfolk	19	712	631	1343	809·2
Oatlands	13	246	247	493	338·1
Penguin	11	305	291	596	429·1
Port Cygnet	10	243	220	463	314·5
Portland	4	133	112	245	199·7
Queenstown	2	241	209	450	337·6
Richmond	8	152	129	281	190·9
Ringarooma	15	517	484	1001	765·9
Ross	2	55	52	107	87·6
Scottsdale	9	304	262	566	404·8
St. Leonards	8	178	140	318	235·2
Sorell	9	189	164	353	237·2
Spring Bay	4	78	62	140	106·6
Strahan	1	93	82	175	138·4
Table Cape	22	636	561	1197	813·9
Tasman Peninsula	9	169	165	334	247·3
Waratah	3	191	192	383	292·2
Westbury	17	349	336	685	469·0
Zeehan	5	205	222	427	312·6
Subsidised Schools	35	214	205	419	304·9
Totals High	5	592	671	1263	1117·0
Totals Primary	460	19,526	18,169	37,695	26,440·9
Totals Subsidised	35	214	205	419	304·9
Grand Totals	500	20,332	19,045	39,377	27,862·8

TEACHERS IN STATE SCHOOLS.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Year.	Head Teachers.				Assistant Teachers.				In Training.						Special		Subsidised.		Temporary.				Total.	
	Certificated.		Uncertificated.		Certificated.		Uncertificated.		College.		Schools.								Adult.		Junior.			
											Students.		Monitors.											
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
1918...	124	61	27	210	14	141	...	64	4	29	44	104	3	130	63*	11	...	57	...	...	...	1	279	808
1919...	132	72	32	201	32	130	1	62	14	30	46	129	5	109	19*	11	2	47	...	...	...	1	283	792
1920...	143	63	27	182	28	141	1	64	23	41	45	152	6	97	8	17	3	33	1	8	2	17	287	815
1921...	148	61	29	175	29	163	...	79	29	65	45	151	...	92	10	21	2	32	3	6	3	17	298	862
1922...	152	51	29	179	33	178	...	79	25	53	52	175	...	83	9	19	3	34	...	1	3	14	306	866
1923...	162	49	20	158	37	219	1	64	27	51	64	166	...	77	9	16	2	24	7	21	1	24	330	869
1924...	160	52	25	162	40	225	1	52	24	46	50	146	...	86	11	21	3	32	5	30	1	45	320	897
1925...	166	59	19	156	44	217	...	56	30	64	66	148	3	93	12	19	2	34	7	31	1	98	350	975
1926..	177	68	15	144	41	229	3	55	28	50	58	150	3	79	12	23	6	28	7	41	1	79	351	946
1927...	171	51	13	148	44	234	...	48	36	62	64	171	...	72	13	22	3	22	5	53	4	60	353	943

* Including 53 on Active Service in 1918, and 12 in 1919.

STATE EDUCATION, PRIMARY AND SECONDARY.—*DECENNIAL RETURN*

Year.	Primary Education.									Secondary Education.						
	Schools.	Scholars.		Expenditure from Revenue.						Schools.	Scholars.		Expenditure from Revenue.			
		Average Monthly Enrolment.	Average No. in Daily Attendance.	Total Amount.	Per Scholar.						Average Monthly Enrolment.	Average No. in Daily Attendance.	Total Amount.	Per Scholar.		
					Enrolled.		In Daily Attendance.							Enrolled.		In Daily Attendance.
	No.	No.	No.	£	£	s. d.	£	s	d.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
1918 ...	488	29,314	23,693	117,798	3	3 7	4	19	5	4	1015	957	7783	6	18 10	8	2 7
1919 ...	483	29,499	24,114	133,310	3	11 10	5	10	6	4	1023	967	8787	7	14 3	9	1 8
1920 ...	490	30,092	24,612	171,191	4	9 4	6	19	1	4	935	886	11,631	10	19 5	13	2 6
1921 ...	493	30,711	25,375	214,768	5	12 5	8	9	3	5	819	771	15,363	16	13 11	19	19 0
1922 ...	500	31,552	26,401	223,487	5	12 9	8	9	3	6	801	759	15,629	17	5 4	20	11 10
1923 ...	502	31,336	25,451	208,954	5	5 8	8	4	2	5	806	749	16,308	17	18 4	21	15 5
1924 ...	516	31,545	26,197	225,967	5	14 8	8	12	6	5	738	701	14,820	17	17 6	21	2 9
1925 ..	523	31,249	26,538	230,165	5	18 9	8	13	5	5	1044	1001	16,264	14	0 10	16	4 11
1926 ..	514	31,026	26,820	234,229	6	3 0	8	14	8	5	1114	1060	17,078	13	19 11	15	6 7
1927 ...	495	30,809	26,745	239,462	6	5 8	8	19	1	5	1169	1117	18,190	14	8 3	16	5 8

UNIVERSITY OF TASMANIA—GENERAL RETURN, 1927.

Number of Professors	10
Number of Independent Lecturers	16
Number of other Lecturers and Demonstrators	3

	M.	F.	Total.
Number of Individual Students	152	62	214
Matriculated Students attending Lectures in Faculties of:—			
Arts	33	40	73
Science	33	3	36
Law	19	1	20
Commerce	24	5	29
Engineering	14	...	14
Tutorial Classes—Effective Students.....No.	...	...	306

RECEIPTS.	£
Government Aid—	
Statutory Endowment.	4000
State Annual Grant ...	9655
Lecture and Examination Fees	2837
Private Foundations	1569
Other	358
	£18,419

EXPENDITURE.	£
Salaries —	
Teaching	12,488
Administration	
Other	
Laboratory and Research	1204
Scholarships and Bursaries, &c.	1402
Buildings & Grounds	739
General Maintenance	2370
Other	217
	£18,420

NEW STUDENTS MATRICULATED AND DEGREES GRANTED BY EXAMINATION.

Period.	New Students Matriculated.	M.A.		B.A.		M. Sc.		B.Sc.		LL.M.		LL.B.		B.Com.		Other.		Total.			Yearly Average.
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M. & F.	
1891-1895	41	...	...	6	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	7	1·4
1896-1900	89	4	2	8	9	...	1	6	1	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	29	13	42	8·4
1901-1905	130	3	6	7	14	1	...	5	...	2	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	33	20	53	10·6
1906-1910	135	5	4	6	7	5	...	8	3	1	...	17	...	...	...	2*a*	...	44	14	58	11·6
1911-1915	203	3	3	15	13	4	...	12	...	3	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	54	16	70	14·0
1916-1920	214	8	3	20	14	1	...	15	...	1	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	53	17	70	14·0
1921-1925	276	4	4	33	27	...	...	23	2	2	...	16	...	5	3	1*b*	...	84	36	120	24·0
1926-1927	119	...	...	5	14	1	..	8	...	1	...	5	...	5	1	5	...	30	15	45	22·5
Total.....	1207	27	22	100	98	12	1	77	6	10	...	90	...	10	4	8	...	334	131	465	12·6
1923.....	54	...	1	7	9	...	...	5	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	1*b*	...	18	10	28	
1924.....	49	...	...	9	2	...	...	4	1	1	...	3	...	1	1	...	...	18	4	22	
1925.....	57	...	1	4	4	...	...	3	1	1	...	3	...	4	2	...	...	15	8	23	
1926.....	62	...	...	2	6	...	...	4	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	2	...	11	7	18	
1927.....	57	...	...	3	8	1	...	4	...	1	...	4	...	3	...	3	...	19	8	27	

(*a*) B.M.E. (afterwards discontinued). (*b*) D.Sc.

PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS 1923-27.

	Intermediate.					Leaving.				
	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
Total Examined.	375	396	502	566	532	189	146	150	208	251
For whole Examination	308	328	371	485	461	155	105	100	144	132
For Separate Subjects	67	68	131	81	71	34	41	50	64	119
Passed Whole Examination.	178	202	210	276	245	80	54	74	93	90
ditto per cent.	57·8	61·6	56·6	56·9	53·1	51·6	51·4	74·0	64·6	68·2
Passed one or more Subjects	166	172	275	253	276	86	72	53	89	106
Passed in no Subject.	21	22	17	37	11	23	20	23	26	45

SECONDARY SCHOOLS (OTHER THAN STATE SCHOOLS).—
DECENNIAL SUMMARY.

YEAR.	No. of Schools.	Teachers.				Accommodation for Students.	Total Students—On Roll December Quarter.					Average Daily Attendance.		Bursaries and Scholarships.	
		Permanent.		Visiting.			Under 7 years.	7 years and under 13.	13 years an upwards	Total				No.	Amount.
		M.	F.	M.	F.	No.	No.	No.	No.	M.	F.	M.	F.		£
1918	16	31	98	11	33	3183	*7	†1378	1022	1086	1321	960·9	1120·9	33	673
1919.....	16	37	77	14	37	2923	*7	†934	1012	983	970	871·0	789·0	35	1077
1920.....	15	38	84	12	37	3123	*29	†1338	1053	1117	1302	988·0	1105·0	36	943
1921.....	15	39	85	17	33	3133	*32	†1429	1166	1237	1390	1077·0	1160·0	38	1017
1922.....	15	40	83	17	33	3333	*25	†1473	1085	1282	1301	1150·0	1146·0	49	1238
1923.....	14	41	96	14	31	3263	*27	†1597	1158	1376	1406	1221·0	1168·0	52	1156
1924.....	14	46	86	14	26	3529	292	1564	1157	1548	1465	1406·5	1286·0	41	1155
1925.....	14	48	83	14	27	3690	236	1226	1205	1428	1239	1304·0	1114·1	49	1306
1926.....	14	55	76	15	34	3140	197	1173	1179	1328	1221	1171·6	1121·9	68	1921
1927.....	14	51	85	14	36	3320	236	1395	1264	1047	1848	945·5	1654·3	54	1324

* and † These figures represent the total Students under 5 years and 5 years to 13 years respectively.

AGES OF SCHOOL CHILDREN.
On Roll 31st December, 1927.

Establishments.	Ages.			
	Under 7 yrs.	7 yrs. and under 13 yrs.	13 yrs. and over.	Total.
State Schools—Primary	3645	22,596	4881	31,122
„ High	...	95	1032	1127
Private Schools	1107	3317	1649	6073
Industrial Schools*.....	12	50	12	74
Institute for Blind Deaf and Dumb.....	...	19	13	32
Training School	...	14	44	58
TOTAL	4764	26,091	7631	38,486

* Excluding Kennerley Boys Home (shown in State Schools).

CHILDREN of Ages 7 to 13 years—All Schools.

	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.
Number of Children between the ages of 7 years and 13 years— In State	26,590	27,490	28,220	28,680	28,700	28,750	28,650	28,400	28,000	28,150
On Roll in Schools on 31st December	25,000	25,097	26,364	26,764	27,162	27,645	27,455	26,680	26,449	26,091
Percentage to number in State ...	94·0	91·3	93·4	93·3	94·7	96·2	95·8	94·0	94·5	92·7

TECHNICAL COLLEGES, SCHOOLS OF MINES, AND JUNIOR TECHNICAL SCHOOLS, 1927.

	Hobart.		Launceston.		Queenstown.		Zeehan.	Grand Total.		
	Senior Technical College.	Junior Technical School.	Senior Technical College.	Junior Technical School.	School of Mines & Technical College.	Junior Technical School.	School of Mines & Technical College.	Senior Technical Colleges & Schls. of Mines.	Junior Technical Schools.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Teachers (full time)—										
Male	3	11	5	6	...	4	2	10	21	31
Female	2	2	1	...	...	3	...	3	5	8
Total	5	13	6	6	...	7	2	13	26	39
Teachers (part time)—										
Male	22	..	11	4	7	...	4	44	4	48
Female	2	...	4	1	...	...	1	7	1	8
Total	24	...	15	5	7	...	5	51	5	56
Students, aggregate Enrolment—										
Male	347	266	240	187	74	43	56	717	496	1213
Female	96	...	199	...	22	47	24	341	47	388
Total	443	266	439	187	96	90	80	1058	543	1601
Students, average Attendance—										
Male	262	233	150	167	53	39	36	501	439	940
Female	72	...	116	...	18	44	17	223	44	267
Total	334	233	266	167	71	83	53	724	483	1207
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Finance—Receipts—										
Balance forward	97	...	10	...	...	202	127	...	...	436
Government Grant	7600	...	6025	...	...	2410	660	...	...	16,695
Fees	821	...	557	...	107	...	123	...	...	1608
Other sources	485	...	12	...	...	477	126	...	...	1100
Total Receipts	9003	...	6604	...	107	3089	1036	...	...	19,839
Expenditure.										
Salaries	7405	...	5816	...	568	1634	750	...	...	16,173
Equipment	1474	...	42	...	...	...	...	...	...	1516
Maintenance, &c.		...	216	...	...	622	135	...	...	973
Buildings	...	...	20	...	...	26	...	...	...	46
Prizes and Scholarships	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70
Other	...	...	86	...	...	173	70	...	...	329
Total Expenditure	8949	...	6180	...	568	2455	955	...	...	19,107

BUSINESS COLLEGES, 1927.

Number of Colleges.	Teachers.	Enrolment.		Average Attendance.		Total Fees received.
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£
3	17	150	612	78	249	4273

PUBLIC LIBRARIES, 1927.

NAME OF LIBRARY.	Number of Books contained therein.	Value of Library Contents.	Cost of Buildings.	Receipts.			Expenditure.		
				From Government.	From Other Sources.	Total Receipts.	Books.	Maintenance.	Total Expenditure.
Libraries Receiving Government Aid—	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bellerive	3000	200	700	20	85	105	17	88	105
Bothwell	3150	300	650	5	11	16	13	3	16
Burnie	2650	300	*d*	18	48	66	47	48	95
Bushy Park (Club)	2150	100	1000	15	36	51	28	43	71
Campbell Town	1000	200	18	20	143	163	29	136	165
Deloraine	5343	1130	*d*	20	52	72	39	19	58
Devonport	8000	1000	*c*	20	359	379	184	196	380
Evandale	4850	427	400	7	17	24	6	16	22
Green Ponds	1800	90	*c*	5	10	15	15	2	17
Launceston	33,719	2175	12,000	250	1542	1792	584	1108	1692
Longford	4700	350	800	20	60	80	40	44	84
New Norfolk	2899	490	1000	20	123	143	30	80	110
Oatlands	1550	80	*d*	36	147	183	34	147	181
Penguin	3000	350	*d*	11	26	37	18	29	47
Queenstown	2005	200	*d*	20	106	126	72	43	115
Ringarooma	1465	80	*c*	11	22	33	20	15	35
Ross	3100	360	1000	5	11	16	17	2	19
Scottsdale	2500	350	800	7	71	78	28	57	85
Tasmanian Public Library (Hobart)	30,000	5300	7500	800	988	1788	388	1408	1796
Westbury	2000	150	*d*	3	19	22	21	11	32
Wynyard	2300	175	100	10	57	67	21	54	75
Waratah	3050	450	200	7	17	24	12	15	27
Total receiving Government Aid	124,231	14,257	26,168	1330	3950	5280	1663	3564	5227
Libraries not receiving Government Aid—									
Bagdad	3250	160	250	...	6	6	6	...	6
Franklin	1000	85	*d*	...	44	44	34	8	42
Hobart (Working Men's Club)	800	36	*d*	...	10	10	7	...	7
Latrobe	636	30	200	...	1	1	...	5	5
Launceston (Working Men's Club)	3000	70	2500	...	176	176	45	156	201
Total not receiving Government Aid	8686	381	2950	...	237	237	92	169	261
Grand Total	132,917	14,638	29,118	1330	4187	5517	1755	3733	5488

c Building rented. *d* Not stated.

TASMANIAN MUSEUM AND BOTANICAL GARDENS.

RECEIPTS and Expenditure for the Year 1927-28.

Receipts.			Expenditure.		
	Museum and Art Gallery.	Botanical Gardens.		Museum and Art Gallery.	Botanical Gardens.
	£	£		£	£
Balance from last year (Cr.)	6	23	Balance from last year (Dr.)	...	...
Government Grant	1225	1300	Salaries	973	1198
Sale of Plants, &c.	...	20	Office Expenses	69	17
Miscellaneous	...	...	Materials, &c.	77	44
Dr. Balance	...	...	Other	109	70
			Cr. Balance	3	14
Total	1231	1343	Total	1231	1343

ROYAL SOCIETY OF TASMANIA.

RECEIPTS and Expenditure for the Year 1927.

Receipts.			Expenditure.		
Items.	General Fund.	Memorial Funds.	Items.	General Fund.	Memorial Funds.
	£	£		£	£
Balance from previous year	3	18	Balance from previous year	...	...
Subscriptions - Current year (217 @ 21/-)	228	...	Salaries	40	...
Life Membership Fees	...	...	Papers and Proceedings	231	...
Donations	2	...	Expenses of Meeting	23	...
Government Grant in aid of printing	100	...	Library	23	...
Interest	...	15	Lantern and Operator	...	..
Miscellaneous	30	9	Postage and Bank Charges	14	38
			Miscellaneous	32	...
Dr. Balance	...	...	Cr. Balance	—	4
Total	363	42	Total	363	42

MUSEUMS AND ART GALLERIES, 1927-28.

Institutions.	Total Number of Visitors.		Average Attendance (approximately.)		Cost of Construction of Buildings.	Receipts from Government during Year.	Total Expenditure.
	Week Days.	Sundays.	Week Days.	Sundays.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
Hobart	60,000	(closed)	200	(closed)	4500	1225	1227
Launceston	40,000	29,000	120	560	6000	500	5580
Total	100,000	29,000	320	560	10,500	1725	6807

ART GALLERY.

CONTENTS.

Institutions.	Oil Paintings.	Water Colours.	Black and White.	Etchings and Engravings.	Statuary.	Micellaneous.	Value of Contents (estimated).
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£
Hobart	133	140	25	181	4	...	5000
Launceston	110	66	...	15	3	10	10,000
Total	243	206	25	196	7	10	£15,000

HOSPITALS, HOSPITALS FOR INSANE, AND CHARITABLE ESTABLISHMENTS, 1927.

CLASSIFICATION.	General Hospitals.			Hospitals for Infectious Diseases.	Sanatoria.	Hospitals for Women.	Private Hospitals (General Cases).	TOTAL HOSPITALS.	Hospitals for Insane.	Charitable Establishments.	GRAND TOTAL.
	Public.	Homœopathic.	Cottage and District.								
Number of Hospitals	2	2	12	1	1	2	50	70	1	2	73
Staff—											
Medical ..... No.	9	3	19	1	6	14	8	60	2	2	64
Nursing ..... M.	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	61	11	74
F.	136	16	92	6	15	27	110	402	71	14	487
Accommodation for Patients :—											
Dormitories ..... No.	75	12	70	11	65	12	206	451	419	26	896
Capacity of Dormitories.. cu.ft.	607,280	47,896	362,092	(*n*)	75,000	38,364	381,180	1,511,812	896,680	552,571	2,961,063
Beds in Wards ..... No.	411	35	331	54	65	58	318	1272	748	261	2281
Beds in Verandahs, &c... No.	106	4	14	...	43	1	18	186	...	...	186
Numbers of Patients :—											
In-Patients at beginning of Year ..... M.	201	6	60	1	23	...	22	313	307	137	757
F.	146	14	83	1	22	32	98	396	308	123	827
Admitted during Year..... M.	4208	220	1732	76	63	...	648	6947	44	116	7107
F.	3697	328	2088	103	60	737	2627	9640	41	44	9725
Total In-Patients..... M.	4409	226	1792	77	86	...	670	7260	351	253	7864
F.	3843	342	2171	104	82	769	2725	10,036	349	167	10,552
Discharged :—											
Cured or Relieved ..... M.	3599	203	1584	63	24	...	611	6084	19	77	6180
F.	3125	300	1982	78	30	747	2590	8852	18	40	8910
Incurable ..... M.	398	6	39	...	14	...	4	461	...	...	461
F.	363	10	49	...	8	...	4	434	...	...	434
Other Causes ..... M.	12	...	1	...	12	...	3	28	3	4	35
F.	9	1	...	...	6	...	2	18	...	...	18
Died .... M.	218	9	94	1	14	...	36	372	19	22	413
F.	153	19	49	3	15	1	36	276	18	17	311
Remaining at end of Year. M.	182	8	74	13	22	...	16	315	310	150	775
F.	193	12	91	23	23	21	93	456	313	110	879
Daily average during Year M.	185	8	84	4	22	...	27	330	308	146	784
F.	178	17	93	3	22	25	108	446	308	114	868
Average No. Days in Residence—									Months–		
Discharges ..... M.	18	20	17	20	81	...	16	19	31	325	...
F.	15	20	19	23	71	14	20	14	78	344	...
Deaths ..... M.	14	9	16	1	84	...	16	17	109	320	...
F.	16	13	18	2	141	16	12	22	98	927	...
Expenditure.....£	58,957	4860	35,764	3445	5535	7048	27,762	143,371	55,224	17,714	216,309
Per In-Patient Treated .....£	5·75	8·56	9·03	19·03	32·95	9·17	8·18	8·29	78·89	42·17	11·74
„ „ per Year.....£	162·42	194·40	202·05	492·14	125·80	281·90	205·65	184·75	89·64	68·14	130·94
Out-Patients ..... No.	8058	27	8944	...	...	17	...	17,046	...	...	17,046

(*n*) Not available.

HOSPITALS, HOSPITALS FOR INSANE, AND CHARITABLE ESTABLISHMENTS.

RECEIPTS and Expenditure for the Year 1927.

CLASSES OF ESTABLISHMENT.	RECEIPTS.					EXPENDITURE.				
	Government Aid.	Fees.	Private Contributions.	Other Sources.	TOTAL.	Salaries.	Building and Repairs.	Maintenance and Provisions, &c.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
General Hospitals—										
Public	36,547	19,619	42	912	57,120	24,816	1653	16,124	16,364	58,957
Homœopathic	250	3930	279	152	4611	1450	278	2578	554	4860
Cottage and District	16,362	10,835	7513	1952	36,662	15,564	1828	10,380	7992	35,764
Hospital for Infectious Diseases	...	900	...	2545*	3445	2172	10	1042	221	3445
Sanatoria	2600	617	2803	212	6232	2454	197	1792	1092	5535
Hospitals for Women	300	5701	508	912	7421	2344	48	2187	2469	7048
Private Hospitals (General Cases)	117	29,107	272	719	30,215	8678	2710	11,839	4535	27,762
Total Hospitals	56,176	70,709	11,417	7404	145,706	57,478	6724	45,942	33,227	143,371
Hospitals for Insane	46,914	8009	...	301	55,224	31,479	1533	20,056	2156	55,224
Charitable Establishments	12,603	4167	...	944	17,714	8323	238	4229	4924	17,714
Grand Total	115,693	82,885	11,417	8649	218,644	97,280	8495	70,227	40,307	216,309

* Municipal Aid.

DECENNIAL Return of Hospitals, Hospitals for the Insane, and Charitable Establishments.

Year.	Nursing Staff.		In-Patients Treated.			Discharged and Died.			Remaining at end of Year.			Average Residence.			Total Expenditure.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Average per Inmate per Year.	Per Case Treated (In-patients).
															£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1918	98	286	4567	5213	9780	3958	4573	8531	609	640	1249	639	652	1291	90 6 11	11 18 6
1919	101	290	4923	5445	10,368	4252	4773	9025	671	672	1343	633	645	1278	104 9 9	12 17 7
1920	93	295	5437	6052	11,489	4756	5367	10,123	681	685	1366	659	669	1328	118 19 0	13 15 0
1921	60	328	5910	6743	12,653	5249	5982	11,231	661	761	1422	681	745	1426	110 7 8	12 8 10
1922	62	318	6182	6997	13,179	5500	6290	11,790	682	707	1389	693	748	1441	109 11 7	11 19 8
1923	65	341	6779	7171	13,950	6042	6472	12,514	737	699	1436	711	711	1422	114 2 5	11 12 8
1924	70	349	6741	7336	14,077	6018	6577	12,595	723	759	1482	743	757	1500	113 16 5	12 2 7
1925	64	353	6733	7644	14,377	6011	6900	12,911	722	744	1466	714	750	1460	119 10 2	12 2 0
1926	75	369	6798	7773	14,571	6056	7045	13,101	742	728	1470	723	744	1467	121 3 7	12 4 0
1927	74	487	7864	10,552	18,416	7089	9673	16,762	775	879	1654	784	868	1652	130 18 8	11 14 11

CHARITABLE GRANTS DEPARTMENT.

DECENNIAL Return of Expenditure.

Year.	Salaries and Allowances.	Outdoor Relief in—			Other.	Total Expenditure.	Repayments to be Deducted.	Total net Expenditure.
		Hobart and Suburbs.	Launceston and Suburbs.	Country Districts.				
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1918–19	495	2479	1272	4727	770	9743	76	9667
1919–20	857	3440	2233	5712	1175	13,417	133	13,284
1920–21	1965	4130	3423	7505	1267	18,290	94	18,196
1921–22	1979	5127	3469	10,301	1233	22,109	159	21,950
1922–23	1718	4610	3668	10,697	1016	21,709	156	21,553
1923–24	2510	4259	3510	9413	1530	21,222	242	20,980
1924–25	2553	5925	3662	10,304	1604	24,048	199	23,849
1925–26	2680	7384	4150	11,104	1580	26,898	314	26,584
1926–27	2836	7516	4365	11,284	1760	27,761	226	27,535
1927–28	3590	7001	4220	10,874	1470	27,154	258	26,896

BOARDING-OUT SYSTEM.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Year.	Number of Children at End of Year			Daily Average.	Gross Expenditure.	Fees Received.	Net Expenditure.	Net Expenditure per Head.
	Males.	Females.	TOTAL.					
					£	£	£	£
1918–19	156	147	303	238·73	5187	701	4486	18 15 9
1919–20	161	134	295	233·04	7238	877	6361	27 5 10
1920–21	176	146	322	293·75	9034	1105	7929	26 19 6
1921–22	164	161	325	326·40	10,336	576	9760	29 18 0
1922–23	164	150	314	318·29	10,043	554	9489	29 16 3
1923–24	169	138	307	308·11	13,141	970	12,171	27 7 7
1924–25	190	162	352	321·95	10,277	669	9608	29 16 10
1925–26	209	177	386	370·98	11,748	681	11,067	29 16 7
1926–27	208	171	379	386·36	12,120	721	11,399	29 10 1
1927–28	215	170	385	385·33	12,225	697	11,528	29 18 4

BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Year.	Relief Granted to—				Receipts from—		Expenditure.		Amount of Funds.
	Children.	Adults.		Total.	Government.	All Sources.	Salaries and Wages.	All.	
	No.	M.	F.	No.	£	£	£	£	£
1918	1526	328	546	2490	...	1541	300	1100	20,872
1919	1634	311	588	2533	...	1456	278	1243	21,085
1920	1551	297	559	2407	...	1528	295	1350	21,263
1921	1189	450	534	2173	...	1787	409	1366	21,684
1922	1079	385	503	1967	...	3242	337	1534	23,392
1923	5589	1353	2099	9041	...	1755	363	1845	24,646
1924	6100	1692	2357	10,149	...	2101	461	2388	24,964
1925	4766	1030	1859	7655	...	2887	532	2460	24,197
1926	4823	971	1706	7500	...	1853	476	1714	24,247
1927	4192	719	1506	6417	...	2259	506	1588	24,928

COMMONWEALTH PENSIONS, &c.

PENSIONS Granted in Tasmania.

Year ended.	Old-Age Pensions.				Invalid Pensions.				War Pensions.			
	Granted.		In Force.		Granted.		In Force.		Granted.		In Force.	
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount
		£		£		£		£		£		£
30th June, 1910 ...	3455	...	3245	79,363	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
,, 1911 ...	932	...	3865	93,507	412	...	401	10,088	...	...	...	...
,, 1912 ...	541	...	4005	96,543	371	...	704	17,654	...	...	...	...
,, 1913 ...	602		4183	104,046	378		982	24,960	...		...	...
,, 1914 ...	590		4402	108,721	294		1145	29,016	...		...	...
,, 1915 ...	506		4528	111,609	337		1349	34,138	...		...	...
,, 1916 ...	421		4522	110,971	348		1528	38,584	346		335	10,660
,, 1917 ..	463		4566	140,634	292		1655	52,390	660		1914	72,072
,, 1918 ...	548		4730	145,551	322		1806	56,992	1840		4453	151,034
,, 1919 ...	462		4823	148,260	253		1862	58,526	3665		7783	237,900
,, 1920 ...	544		4806	182,182	294		1947	72,710	2511		9551	261,910
,, 1921 ...	667		5085	186,730	297		2023	76,481	1216		9795	294,737
,, 1922 ...	635		5265	192,986	242		2005	75,580	841		9846	286,775
,, 1923 ...	547		5344	195,546	231		1990	74,646	791		10,086	294,638
,, 1924 ...	616		5482	236,210	232		2020	89,206	824		10,424	284,232
,, 1925 ...	830		5856	251,472	282		2036	90,194	766		10,779	295,034
,, 1926 ...	1019		6428	316,394	318		2130	107,926	733		10,989	297,622
,, 1927 ...	949		6903	339,456	317		2242	113,386	646		11,133	306,410
,, 1928 ...	945		7299	354,874	310		2339	118,326	647		11,453	319,020

Not available.

MATERNITY ALLOWANCES.

CLAIMS Paid and Rejected—Tasmania and Commonwealth.

Year ending 30th June.	Paid.		Rejected.	
	In Tasmania.	In Commonwealth.	In Tasmania.	In Commonwealth.
	No.	No.	No.	No.
1913*	3611	82,475	29	619
1914.....	6033	134,998	33	709
1915.....	5972	138,855	17	640
1916.....	5670	131,949	14	504
1917.....	5666	132,406	13	459
1918.....	5384	126,886	10	404
1919.....	5214	124,016	7	510
1920.....	5498	125,173	15	621
1921.....	5915	140,152	18	622
1922.....	5843	138,140	18	520
1923.....	5836	137,687	12	421
1924.....	5495	134,035	10	432
1925.....	5506	137,641	11	455
1926.....	5171	136,171	14	517
1927.....	4917	132,056	13	1122
1928.....	4898	135,784	11	1261
Total	86,629	2,088,424	245	9816

* Payments (£5 each) commenced as from 10th October, 1912.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS, INSTITUTE FOR BLIND, DEAF, AND DUMB, AND TRAINING SCHOOL

NUMBER of Children maintained during 1927.

ESTABLISHMENTS.	Religious Denomination.	Sex.	Inmates. At beginning of Year.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	Remaining at end of Year. Wards of State.	Remaining at end of Year. Other.	Average Daily Number.
			No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Industrial Schools—									
Hobart—Boys' Home	Protestant	M	29	6	5	...	30	...	30
St. Joseph's Orph'nge.	R. C.	F	63	21	10	...	24	50	70
Girls' Industrial Sch.	Undenominational	F	28	10	6	...	32	...	31
Launceston—Girls' ditto	Undenominational	F	35	9	6	...	34	4	36
Boys' Home	Undenominational	M	33	6	13	...	26	...	28
Total	...	...	188	52	40	...	146	54	195
Institute for Blind, Deaf, and Dumb :—									
Hobart—Institute for— Blind	Unsectarian	M	30	4	11	...	1	22	28
Hobart—Institute for— Deaf & Dumb	Unsectarian	& F	14	2	7	...	2	7	12
Ashley Boys' Home, Deloraine	...	M	62	56	60	...	58	...	54
Total	...	...	294	114	118	...	207	83	289

RECEIPTS and Expenditure.

	Receipts. From Private Sources.	Receipts. From Government.	Receipts. From other Sources.	Receipts. Total.	Expenditure. Salaries.	Expenditure. Maintenance.	Expenditure. Other.	Expenditure. Total.	Balance. From last Year.	Balance. To next Year.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Industrial Schools :—										
Hobart—Boys' Home	36	782	712	1530	358	923	160	1441	371	460
St. Joseph's Orphanage	917	679	339	1935	...	1605	99	1704	—217	14
Girls' Industrial S.	...	582	855	1437	296	634	302	1232	—357	—152
Launceston—Girls' ditto	111	734	614	1459	350	1008	128	1486	...	27
Boys' Home	468	800	8	1276	119	1243	95	1457	733	552
Total	1532	3577	2528	7637	1123	5413	784	7320	530	847
Institute for Blind, Deaf, and Dumb, Hobart	244	685	...	929	791	1155	87	2033	...	...
Ashley Boys' Home, Deloraine	105	4276	316	4697	2070	2498	129	4697	...	...
Total	1881	8538	2844	13,263	3984	9066	1000	14,050	...	...

NOTE.—With the exception of the Ashley Boys' Home (situated now at State Farm, Deloraine), the above institutions are privately managed.

INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, DEAF, AND DUMB.

DECENNIAL Return of Inmates, Receipts, and Expenditure.

Year.	Total Number of Inmates.			Discharged or Died.			Remaining at end of Year.			Average Daily No. Resident.			Receipts.		Total Expenditure.	Total Funds.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	From Government.	All Sources.		
													£	£	£	£
1918–19	23	23	46	1	...	1	22	23	45	*a*	*a*	*a*	1503	2738	3671	7155
1919–20	29	21	50	...	...	...	29	21	50	27	21	48	1191	7328	6378	8105
1920–21	32	22	54	2	2	4	30	20	50	31	21	52	1919	6904	8035	6885
1921–22	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	*a*	2163	8049	9718	5215
1922–23*	42	18	60	1	...	1	40	18	58	41	18	59	6719	18,296	14,437	9074
1923–24	41	19	60	1	...	1	40	19	59	*a*	*a*	57	3406	9482	10,281	8275
1924–25	39	18	57	3	3	6	36	15	51	38	16	54	2969	9946	8707	9514
1925–26	44	18	62	10	3	13	34	15	49	*a*	*a*	*a*	2381	8515	8138	9891
1926–27	39	15	54	11	1	12	28	14	42	32	15	47	2303	9524	8191	11,224
1927–28	34	16	50	11	7	18	23	9	32	28	12	40	2185	8455	8140	11,538

a Not available. * Period of 17 months.

PUBLIC HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES.

RECEIPTS and Expenditure for the Year 1927.

Classification.	Receipts.						Expenditure.			
	Government Aid.	Municipal Aid.	Public Subscriptions, Legacies, &c.	Fees.	Other.	Total.	Buildings.	Maintenance, including Salaries.	Other.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
General Hospitals—Public	36,547	...	42	19,619	912	57,120	1653	40,940	16,364	58,957
Homœopathic	250	...	279	3930	152	4611	278	4028	554	4860
Cottage & District	16,362	...	7513	10,835	1952	36,662	1828	25,944	7992	35,764
Hospitals for Women	300	...	508	5701	912	7421	48	4531	2469	7048
Infectious Diseases Hospitals	...	2545	...	900	...	3445	10	3214	221	3445
Mental Diseases Hospitals*	46,914	...	...	8009	301	55,224	1533	51,535	2156	55,224
Sanatoria (Consumptives)	2600	...	2803	617	212	6232	197	4246	1092	5535
Orphan Asylums and Industrial Schools	7227	...	1637	1276	2194	12,334	268	11,430	319	12,017
Neglected Children's Department (Boarding-out)*	11,804	...	...	697	...	12,501	...	12,381	120	12,501
Institutes for Deaf, Dumb, and Blind...	2256	...	1294	244	300	4094	204	3551	25	3780
Infirmaries and Charitable Institutions*	12,603	...	...	4167	944	17,714	238	12,552	4924	17,714
Charitable Grants Department (Outdoor Relief, &c.)*	26,896	...	...	258	...	27,154	...	27,141	13	27,154
Benevolent Societies	...	...	933	...	1326	2259	15	1433	140	1588
Other	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	163,759	2545	15,009	56,253	9205	246,771	6272	202,926	36,389	245,587

* Government institutions, with financial year 1927-28.—The item Government Aid in these cases represents net cost of institution.

SUPERANNUATION FUNDS.

STATE TEACHERS' SUPERANNUATION FUND.

QUINQUENNIAL SUMMARY.

	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.
Subscribers at end of year.....No.	579	605	600	626	623
Annual subscriptions in force, ditto.....£	8714	9349	9398	9802	9861
Annual status payments, ditto .....£	156	189	164	158	164
Amount of subscriptions received during year...£	9470	9724	10,102	10,494	10,588
Interest received during year .....£	4793	4662	5131	5550	5759
Interest accrued and subscriptions (unpaid).....£	1009	981	1046	1124	1480
Annuities paid during year.....£	1189	1315	1290	1482	1435
Surrender value paid to retiring subscribers.....£	5906	4015	5078	6519	5711
Other expenses .....£	84	114	152	185	144
Total Funds at end of year.....£	79,354	88,292	97,100	105,782	115,368

PUBLIC SERVICE SUPERANNUATION FUND.

QUINQUENNIAL SUMMARY.

	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.
Subscribers at end of year .....No.	266	254	264	266	278
Subscriptions received during year .....£	3036	3340	3313	3554	3719
Interest received during year .....£	2134	2412	2712	2979	3293
Interest accrued (unpaid) & subscriptions (outstanding) .....£	802	763	889	976	1068
Other Receipts .....£	59	1	...	1	4
Annuities paid to subscribers during year .....£	220	303	470	595	606
Annuities paid to widows during year .....£	123	155	228	266	367
Annuities paid to orphan children during year.....£	22	22	6	...	...
Surrender values paid to retiring subscribers during year.....£	2040	1489	901	954	767
Other expenditure .....£	64	75	221	87	113
Total Funds at end of year.....£	38,487	42,155	46,481	51,225	56,443

POLICE PROVIDENT FUNDS.

YEAR.	RECEIPTS.					EXPENDITURE.				TOTAL FUNDS.
	Government Grant.	Contributions	Interest.	Forfeitures and other Receipts.	TOTAL.	Retiring Allowances.	Rewards.	Other Expenses.	TOTAL.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1900...	524	1330	254	—	2108	552	17	50	619	9714
1901...	498	1261	348	1	2108	432	43	—	475	11,347
1902...	500	1242	359	117	2218	729	48	—	777	12,788
1903...	458	1178	399	133	2168	1232	117	—	1349	13,607
1904...	391	1166	436	283	2276	823	57	—	880	15,003
1905...	420	1141	478	50	2089	917	96	—	1013	16,079
1906...	457	1123	539	74	2193	962	78	—	1040	17,232
1907...	437	1268	572	46	2323	1283	49	—	1332	18,223
1908...	500	1434	605	710	3249	1623	11	78	1712	19,760
1909...	500	1492	677	987	3656	1045	14	4	1063	22,353
1910...	500	1516	783	1132	3931	1082	44	—	1126	25,158
1911...	500	1521	899	599	3519	1720	8	2	1730	26,947
1912...	500	1529	937	829	3795	4491	70	—	4561	26,181
1913...	500	1609	959	739	3807	2100	60	—	2160	27,828
1914...	500	1629	997	853	3979	2989	41	—	3030	28,777
1915...	500	1654	1049	763	3966	2574	25	—	2599	30,144
1916...	500	1684	1135	796	4115	1486	68	—	1554	32,705
1917...	500	1737	1207	860	4304	2807	56	—	2863	34,146
1918...	500	1852	1295	708	4355	2669	71	—	2740	35,761
1919...	500	2129	1410	869	4908	4302	63	—	4365	36,304
1920...	500	2575	2187	1004	6266	3603	87	—	3690	38,880
1921...	500	2891	2190	1055	6636	1915	53	—	1968	43,548
1922...	500	2833	2447	1018	6798	4994	35	—	5029	45,317
1923...	500	2888	2551	1072	7011	1229	65	—	1294	51,035
1924...	500	2945	2883	808	7136	1072	99	—	1171	57,000
1925...	500	3097	3292	1199	8088	2600	48	—	2648	62,440
1926...	500	3197	3733	1113	8543	2757	43	50	2850	68,133
1927	500	3344	3853	966	8663	2306	75	50	2431	74,365

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PART IX.

INTELLECTUAL, MORAL, AND SOCIAL PROVISION.

SECTION II.—FRIENDLY SOCIETIES, &c.

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FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

REPORT OF THE STATISTICIAN FOR THE YEAR, 1927.

Hobart, 3rd October, 1928.

SIR,

In accordance with Section 10 of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1888," I have the honour to make the following report with respect to the year 1927.

Note:—Figures in parentheses refer to the previous year—1926.

Returns and Information.

Copies of the printed report and tables for 1926 showing the strength, progress, and financial position of the societies, were forwarded to district secretaries and secretaries of the larger lodges, and to other persons who applied for them.

For the most part, returns were received from secretaries of lodges promptly, and carefully filled in. Only in the cases of a couple of lodges, now defunct, was it found impossible to obtain returns. The majority of secretaries seem to now realise that much inconvenience is saved by a prompt supply of returns, and that the value of the final figures is increased thereby.

Returns were received for the first time from a few lodges which had previously been overlooked. Where the inclusion of these lodges has made any significant difference in the final figures, attention has been drawn to the fact in the course of the following comments.

Societies.

At the end of the year there were 20 distinct societies registered under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1888," and carrying on business in Tasmania. Six of these, with a benefit membership of 6.6 per cent. of all the societies, were "special" societies. These consist of members of one firm or institution, or of residents of one locality, and have no branch lodges. The remainder, 14, consist of ordinary societies. These had 157 (153) branches for males, 20 (18) for females, and 8 (6) for juveniles. The total number of branches was 191 (including "special" societies). The apparent increase of two juvenile lodges includes three lodges which had previously not furnished returns, and is actually a decrease of one lodge.

Membership.

The number of benefit members at the end of the year was 25,076 (24,614), which was the highest number on record, the previous highest being 24,660 in 1923. The increase during the year was 462 (127), of which male "ordinary" societies accounted for 180 (29), "special" societies 69 (99), females 132 (—6), and juvenile 81 (5). The apparent increase of 81 juveniles is, however, due to the inclusion of three branches with a membership of 97, which had not previously furnished returns, and, excluding these, juvenile lodges actually show a decrease of 16.

The membership of the societies was 11.9 (11.7) per cent. of the mean population of Tasmania for the year; and the actual increase of membership during the year, while the State was still losing population, speaks well for the vitality of the Societies.

The average age of the members of male societies has been increasing steadily of recent years, due probably to the loss by emigration of a great number of young people from Tasmania, and the increase still continued during 1927. The average age of members of male societies, which in 1921 was 37.8, was 40.1 (39.9) at the end of 1927. The loss by migration of Tasmanian population now shows signs of ceasing, and when this has taken place, some improvement in the average age of members of the societies may be hoped for.

The average age of female societies, which increased to 30.6 in 1925, has now decreased to 29.9 (30.4).

About 4.9 (5.5) per cent. of all benefit members (male, female, and juvenile) were unfinancial at the close of the year.

Sickness and Mortality.

Males receiving sick pay during the year, 4236 (4469), were about the usual number, but the amount of time for which sick pay was allowed, 251,380 (238,263) days, was easily the largest on record. The average annual duration of male sickness for the last 10 years was 212,162 days. The result of this was a very long duration of sickness per case, 59.3 (53.3) days, compared with an average of 49.4 days per case during the last 10 years.

The number of females receiving sick pay was low, but the total duration of sickness was about normal. 170 (201) females received sick pay for 10,200 (11,066) days of sickness, compared with a decennial average of 194 cases amounting to 10,129 days. The average duration per case of female sickness was 60.0 (55.1) days, compared with a decennial average of 52.2 days.

The number of deaths of members during the year, 239 (205), was fairly high. Adult males accounted for 228 (198) deaths, females for 10 (7), and there was 1 (0) juvenile death.

In addition to the above, 130 (112), registered wives died and were allowed funeral donations to the amount of £1886 (£1567). The number of deaths of registered wives is the largest on record, the previous highest being 121 in 1919.

The male death rate was 10.3 (9.1) per 1000 members, compared with an average of 9.7 during the five years 1922 to 1926.

Funds.

Receipts, £116,081 (£114,073), showed an increase of £2000 over the previous year, and expenditure, £98,486 (£97,683) showed an increase of £800. The net result was a substantial surplus, £17,595 (£16,390) equal to a margin of 17.9 (16.8) per cent. of expenditure. The societies are now seriously endeavouring to recover from their bad financial position dis-

closed by the 1921 Valuation, and the surpluses are increasing each year. For the five years, 1916 to 1920, the average surplus was 9.5 per cent. of expenditure, for 1921 to 1925 it was 13.7 per cent. and for the two years 1926 and 1927 it was 17.3 per cent.

Accumulated funds (excluding dispensaries' stocks) increased during the year from £359,756 to £377,258, or by 4.9 (4.7) per cent. £355,563 (£341,939) of the total funds were invested in income-producing investments, and the balance, £21,695 (£17,817) was held as cash and other non-revenue-producing securities. Funds amount to £15 16s. 3d. (£15 9s. 2d.) per financial member, an increase of 7s. 1d. during the year.

Receipts.

The total receipts of £116,081 (£114,073) were made up as follows:— Contributions and levies, £83,034 (£83,440); entrance fees, £416 (£444); interest, dividends, &c., £19,566 (£18,676); and other income, £13,065 (£11,513). Interest shows an increase of £890, but the average rate earned on funds was the same as during 1926, 5.19 per cent. The rate of interest earned reached its highest point in 1924, at 5.78 per cent, but has since declined, in sympathy with the money market, to the present figure. Contributions amounted to £3 9s. 7d. (£3 11s. 8d.) per financial member, and interest, &c., to 16s. 5d. (16s. 0d.).

Expenditure.

Expenditure amounted to £98,486 (£97,683) or £4 2s. 6d. (£4 3s. 11d.) per financial member. Medical attendance and medicine, which, since 1921, has averaged nearly 23 shillings per financial member, was about normal in 1927 at £27,164 (£26,829) or £1 2s. 9d. (£1 3s. 0d.) per financial member. Sick experience, as stated above, was high during the year, and the expenditure on this item, £28,619, was higher than even the high figure of last year (£28,189). The amount per financial member, however, was slightly less, £1 4s. 0d. (£1 4s. 3d.), although very much above the figure for the previous five years, £1 2s. 5d.

Funeral donations were £17,134 (£16,387) or 14s. 4d. (14s. 1d.) per financial member, compared with an average of 14s. 2d. for the previous five years. Expenses of administration, which had been increasing steadily until 1926, when a slight decrease was shown, have made another large increase in 1927. They amounted to £18,474 (£17,544) or 15s. 6d. (15s. 1d.) per financial member compared with an average of 14s. 3d. for the nve years 1921 to 1925.

Of the whole expenditure, medical expenses took 28 (27) per cent.; sick pay, 29 (29) per cent.; funeral benefits, 17 (17) per cent.; administration, 19 (18) per cent., while the balance, 7 (9) per cent, was used in extra benefits and miscellaneous expenditure.

The usual statistical summary will be found in the tables 1 to 7 which follow, and more detailed information in the ensuing pages.

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The Hon. the Attorney-General.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

TABLE 1.—*Friendly Societies, Years* 1926 *and* 1927 :—

Heading.	Particulars.			
	Year 1926.	Year 1927.	Increase.	Decrease.
Number of Registered Friendly Societies at end of Year ... (General)	14	14	...	...
,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ... (Special)	6	6	...	...
Number of Branches, Males (over 16 years)	159	163	4	...
,, ,, Females (over 16 years)	18	20	2	...
,, ,, Male Juveniles	6	8	2	...
Total Number of Branches	183	191	8	...
Number of Benefit Members, Males (over 16 years)	22,969	23,218	249	...
,, ,, ,, Females (over 16 years)	1468	1600	132	...
,, ,, ,, Juveniles	177	258	81	...
Total Number of Benefit Members †	24,614	25,076	462	...
Number of Honorary Members	733	933	200	...
Number of Registered Wives at end of Year	13,538	13,611	73	...
Number of Members who received Sick Pay during Year:—				
Males (over 16 years)	4469	4236	...	233
Females (over 16 years)	201	170	...	31
Juveniles	Nil	Nil	...	...
Total Number of Members who received Sick Pay	4670	4406	...	264
Number of Weeks for which Sick Pay was allowed, Males (over 16 years)	39,711	41,897	2186	...
,, ,, ,, ,, Females (over 16 years)	1844	1700	...	144
,, ,, ,, ,, Juveniles	Nil	Nil	...	...
Total Number of Weeks for which Sick Pay was allowed	41,555	43,597	2042	...
Averages per Benefit Member ..... weeks	1·700	1·757	·057	...
Number of Deaths of Benefit Members, Males (over 16 years)	198	228	30	...
,, ,, ,, ,, Females (over 16 years)	7	10	3	...
,, ,, ,, ,, Juveniles	...	1	1	...
Total Number of Deaths	205	239	34	...
Number of Deaths of Registered Wives	112	130	18	...

† Including semi-unfinancial members (1342 in 1926, and 1218 in 1927).

TABLE 2.—*Friendly Societies, Year* 1927.

Heading.	Particulars.		
	Amount.	Per Member.*	Per Case.
Revenue for Year—	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Members' Contributions, Levies	83,034	3 9 7	...
Entrance Fees (Initiation and Clearance Fees, &c.), Fees for Registration of Wives	416	0 0 4	...
Interest, Dividends, and Rents	19,566	0 16 5	...
All other Income	13,065	0 10 11	...
Total £	116,081	4 17 3	...
Expenditure for Year—			
Medical Attendance and Medicine	27,164	1 2 9	...
Sick Pay (Cases—M., 4236; F., 170—£28,017: £602)	28,619	1 4 0	6 9 11
Sums payable at death (Funeral donations)— £			
Members: Special Societies M+F..... 4 165			41 5 0
Members: General Societies M 224 14,937			66 13 8
Members: General Societies F 10 136	17,134	0 14 4	13 12 0
Members: General Societies Juv. .. 1 10			10 0 0
Registered Wives and Widows 130 1886			14 10 2
Administration	18,474	0 15 6	...
Other (Benefits, &c.)	7,095	0 5 11	...
Total £	98,486	4 2 6	...
Funds at end of Year—			
Invested	355,563	14 18 1	...
Uninvested	21,695	0 18 2	...
Total (*b*) £	377,258	15 16 3	...

* Per Financial Member at end of year. (*b*) Excluding Dispensary Stock valued at £3843.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

TABLE 3.— *Net Revenue and Net Expenditure.*

Per Financial Member per Year.

	Five Years, 1901-1905.	Five Years, 1906-1910.	Five Years, 1911-1915.	Five Years, 1916-1920.	Five Years, 1921-1925.	Two Years 1926-1927.	Year 1927.
Average No. of Financial Members	14,775	17,964	21,166	21,338	22,847	23,565	23,858
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Net revenue	3 7 9	3 10 4	3 15 2	4 8 5	4 13 0	4 17 8	4 17 3
Net expenditure—							
Medical Expenses	0 18 10	0 18 6	0 17 10	0 17 11	1 2 7	1 2 11	1 2 9
Sick pay	0 17 11	0 18 10	0 18 11	1 0 10	1 2 5	1 4 1	1 4 0
Funeral benefits	0 6 6	0 7 8	0 11 1	0 19 5	0 14 2	0 14 3	0 14 4
Management	0 8 7	0 9 2	0 10 11	0 11 8	0 14 3	0 15 3	0 15 6
Other Expenditure (Benefits, &c.)	0 6 3	0 5 10	0 6 9	0 10 11	0 8 5	0 6 9	0 5 11
Total net expenditure	2 18 1	3 0 0	3 5 6	4 0 9	4 1 10	4 3 3	4 2 6
Balance (surplus)	0 9 8	0 10 4	0 9 8	0 7 8	0 11 2	0 14 5	0 14 9

Per Cent. to Total Net Expenditure.

	Per cent. 116·52	Per cent. 117·32	Per cent. 114·77	Per cent. 109·50	Per cent. 113·66	Per cent. 117·32	Per cent. 117·87
Net revenue							
Net expenditure—							
Medical expenses	32·38	30·91	27·12	22·17	27·60	27·52	27·58
Sick pay	30·85	31·41	28·90	25·75	27·40	28·96	29·06
Funeral benefits	11·20	12·73	16·92	24·07	17·31	17·09	17·40
Management	14·80	15·25	16·71	14·44	17·40	18·36	18·76
Other Expenditure (Benefits, &c.)	10·77	9·70	10·35	13·57	10·29	8·07	7·20
Total net expenditure	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00
Balance (surplus)	16·52	17·32	14·77	9·50	13·66	17·32	17·87

TABLE 4.—*Average per Financial Member.*

(Per Year.)

During Period—	Pay for Sickness.			Funeral Allowances.			
	No. of		Amount.	No. of Cases.		Amount paid for—	
	Cases.	Days.		Males.	Females, Wives, & Juveniles.	Males.	Females, Wives, & Juveniles.
			£ s. d.	(Per 1000.)		£ s. d.	
4 Years, 1892-1895 (inclusive)	0·182	8·47	0 18 5	9·34		0 6 10	
5 „ 1896-1900	0·191	8·11	0 17 11	9·13		0 6 1	
5 „ 1901-1905	0·198	7·80	0 17 11	8·30		0 6 6	
5 „ 1906-1910	0 216	8·34	0 18 10	7·67		0 7 8	
5 „ 1911-1915	0 196	8·03	0 18 11	8·69		0 11 1	
5 „ 1916-1920	0·193	8·57	1 0 10	17·60		0 19 5	
5 „ 1921-1925	0·195	9·70	1 2 5	13·99		0 14 2	
2 „ 1926-1927	0·193	10·84	1 4 1	14·55		0 14 3	
1 „ 1927	0·185	10·96	1 4 0	15·47		0 14 4	
Average per Case per Year.							
			£ s. d.			£ s. d.	
4 Years, 1892-1895 (inclusive)	1	46·39	5 0 10	1		36 13 4	
5 „ 1896-1900	1	42·51	4 13 10	1		33 8 10	
5 „ 1901-1905	1	39·34	4 10 6	1		39 4 10	
5 „ 1906-1910	1	38·60	4 7 1	1		49 12 11*	
5 „ 1911-1915	1	40·94	4 16 7	1		63 15 7	
5 „ 1916-1920	1	44·36	5 7 8	1		55 4 4†	
5 „ 1921-1925	1	49·69	5 15 1	1		50 13 9	
2 „ 1926-1927	1	56·38	6 5 4	1		49 1 3	
1 „ 1927	1	59·37	6 9 11	1		46 8 8	

* Increases from this date are largely caused by unusual special levies in some of the Societies.

† From 1916 onward registered wives are taken into account in average of funeral allowances.

TABLE 5.—*Quinquennial Summary (Sickness and Death, &c.)*

			1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.
"Adult" Males.....	Financial Members at end of year	Special Socty.	1424	1399	1494	1593	1662
		Gen'ral Socts.	20,383	20,220	20,106	20,122	20,434
		Total	21,807	21,619	21,600	21,715	22,096
	Cases of Illness during year	No.	4801	4308	4007	4469	4236
	Cases per 1000 Members (Males)..... ...	No.	220	199	185	206	192
	Total Sickness	Days	228,673	222,127	216,933	238,263	251,380
	Days of Sickness per Member	Days	10·5	10·3	10·0	11·0	11·4
	Amount of Sick Pay	£	26,748	26,217	24,814	27,509	28,017
	Amount per 1000 Members	£	1226	1213	1149	1267	1268
	Deaths during year	No.	198	249	226	198	228
	Deaths per 1000 Members.....	No.	9·08	11·52	10·46	9·12	10·32
	Funeral Allowances	£	13,783	17,097	15,827	14,751	15,102
	Amount per Case	£	69·6	68·7	70·0	74·5	66·2
	Amount per 1000 Members	£	632	791	733	679	684
"Adult" Females...	Financial Members at end of year	No.	1380	1367	1364	1380	1505
	Cases of Sickness during year	No.	206	212	168	201	170
	Cases per 1000 Members (Females).....	No.	149	155	123	146	113
	Total Sickness	Days	10,454	11,206	8439	11,066	10,200
	Days of Sickness per Member	Days	7·6	8·2	6·2	8·0	6·8
	Amount of Sick Pay	£	655	705	517	680	602
	Amount per 1000 Members	£	475	516	379	493	400
	Deaths during year.....	No.	1	12	4	7	10
	Deaths per 1000 Members.....	No.	0·72	8·78	2·93	5·07	6·64
	Amount of Funeral Allowances	£	10	120	49	69	136
	Amount per Case.....	£	10·0	10·0	12·25	9·86	13·60
Juveniles	Financial Members at end of year	No.	284	140	171	177	257
	Deaths during year.....	No.	...	...	...	...	1
	Funeral Allowances	£	...	...	...	...	10
Registered Wives ...	Number at end of year	No.	13,471	13,373	13,465	13,538	13,611
	Died during year.....	No.	96	113	109	112	130
	Funeral Allowances.....	£	1331	1555	1452	1567	1886
	Amount per Case.....	£	13·9	13·8	13·3	14·0	14·5

* Persons over 16 years of age are eligible for membership in adults' lodges.

TABLE 6.—*Quinquennial Summary (Progress, &c.).*

			1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.
Adult Males	Admissions—						
	Initiations in General Societies	No.	1289	1090	1132	1131	1299
	Initiations per 1000 Financial Members..	No.	63·2	53·9	56·3	56 2	63·6
	Initiations in Special Societies	No.	915	405	305	178	320
	Clearances...	No.	171	256	114	255	170
	Departures by—						
	Arrears from General Societies	No.	946	903	931	974	967
	Arrears per 1000 Financial Members ...	No.	46·4	44·7	46·3	48·4	47·3
	Arrears from Special Societies	No.	208	416	204	69	248
	Clearances	No.	167	232	166	195	97
	Deaths from General Societies	No.	194	235	221	188	224
	Deaths per 1000 Financial Members ...	No.	9·52	11·62	10·99	9·34	10·96
	Deaths from Special Societies	No.	4	14	5	10	4
Adult Females ...	Admissions—						
	Initiations	No.	230	141	155	181	310
	Initiations per 1000 Members..	No.	166·7	103·1	113·6	131·2	206·0
	Clearances	No.	10	4	7	3	7
	Departures by—						
	Arrears	No.	152	165	125	166	161
	Arrears per 1000 Members.....	No.	110·1	120·7	91·6	120·3	107·0
	Clearances	No.	6	16	12	17	14
	Deaths	No.	1	12	4	7	10

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

TABLE 7.—*STATISTICAL SUMMARY of Tasmanian Friendly Societies.*

Year	Number of Societies.		Number of Branches.	Number of Benefit Members.					Receipts.* (Net).			Expenditure.* (Net).					Capital at 31st December.						
				Adults' Lodges.		Juveniles.	Total.		From—			In—				All—	To Credit of—			How Invested.			
	General.	Special.		Males.	Fem.		Financial.	Financial and Unfinancial.	Contributions and Levies.	Interest and Rent.	All Sources.	Sick Pay.	Funeral Benefits.	Medical Attendance & Medicine.	Management.	Expenditure.	Sick and Funeral Funds.	Management Funds.	Other Funds.	Amount.			Rate of Interest Earned.
																				Bearing Interest.	Not Bearing Interest.	Total.	
	No.	No	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	%
1892	...	...	109	...	...	...	9686	10,358	...	...	32,833	9053	3485	...	4261	28,513	60,887	4388	8634	64,732	9157	73,889	...
1895	...	...	118	...	...	...	9368	10,087	...	...	31,901	8463	3066	...	3622	27,963	68,837	3320	13,256	81,074	4339	85,413	...
1900	...	...	136	...	...	...	12,636	13,548	...	...	42,327	10,020	4156	...	5225	34,872	86,745	5910	16,329	100,180	8804	108,984	...
1905	...	...	164†	...	...	...	15,812	15,976	...	...	54,893	14,941	5943	...	7017	45,328	116,499	8424	18,654	135,542	8035	143,577	...
1907	...	...	179†	...	...	...	17,530	18,954	...	...	63,172	16,662	8195	...	8167	53,816	130,483	10,729	21,431	152,184	10,459	162,643	...
1908	...	...	179†	...	...	...	18,080	12,571	...	...	64,331	16,184	10,358	...	8512	55,474	137,259	11,415	21,809	161,179	9304	170,483	...
1909	...	...	175†	...	...	...	18,640	20,141	...	...	64.265	17,535	8463	...	8303	53,587	145,625	12,030	30,854	178,071	10,438	188,509	...
1910	...	...	184†	...	...	...	19,293	21,063	...	...	70,166	18,065	9397	...	9618	60,382	153,717	13,080	31,282	184,996	13,083	198,079	...
1911	11	4	187†	...	...	...	20,213	21,708	53,994	6788	73,503	18,210	9950	18,210	10,739	64,556	161,135	12,220	33,935	195,465	11,825	207,290	3·57
1912	11	4	198†	...	...	...	20,963	22,480	59.158	7414	75,833	18,362	11,728	18,362	11,328	65,189	177,536	12,932	25,866	202,662	13,672	216,334	3·72
1913	11	4	202†	...	...	...	21,440	22,930	63,523	9048	80,878	20,647	12,805	19,753	12,282	70,229	188,421	12,058	26,853	215,659	11,673	227,332‖	4·33
1914	12	4	196†				21,778	23,399	63,749	8692	84.953	18,787	10,850	19,732	11,880	69,950	197,393	13,044	30,950	228,395	12,992	241,387§‖	3·91
1915	14	4	207	21,529	1352	293	21,436	23,174	64,401	9526	82,724	21,200	13,344	17,979	11,688	76,788	201,520	13,471	32,429	232,874	14,546	247,420‖	4·13
1916	14	4	207	21,069	1395	274	21,314	22,738	64,523	10,854	85,773	19,620	16,522	17,525	11,447	84,510	206,646	14,045	27,739	233,526	14,904	248,430‖	4·66
1917	14	5	198	20,758	1380	253	21,105	22,391	65,573	10,484	90,734	19,126	23,100	18,008	11,739	88,097	201,506	15,040	29,120	231,524	14,142	245,666‖	4·51
1918	14	5	197	20,604	1392	287	20,997	22,283	67,075	10,937	103,345	19,953	27,121	18,602	12,174	85,527	212,521	15,067	34,451	244,217	17,822	262,039‖	4·60
1919	14	5	190	20,840	1417	273	21,372	22,530	69,036	12,240	98,968	28,139	21,248	19,689	13,029	89,562	221,391	14,521	34,865	257,580	13,197	270,777‖	4·88
1920	14	5	192	21,440	1417	357	21,904	23,214	70,457	13,661	92,555	24,049	15,648	21,609	13,749	82,828	244,851‡	14,453	21,011	265,592	14,723	280,315‖	5·22
1921	14	5	187	21,520	1368	378	22,040	23,266	71,152	13,978	95,521	23,610	15,439	23,504	14,483	84,817	264,976	14,946	10,599	276,772	13,749	290,521‖	5·15
1922	14	5	192	22,010	1420	334	22,462	23,764	74,297	15,601	100,758	25,018	14,314	24,539	15,684	88,348	276,358	14,889	12,256	288,018	15,485	303,503‖	5·52
1923	14	6	190	22,866	1501	293	23,471	24,660	77,679	16,520	108,020	27,403	15,124	26,791	16,510	95,880	287,381	14,735	13,251	297,648	17,719	315,367‖	5·64
1924	14	6	184	22,817	1453	140	23,126	24,410	79,406	17,608	112,136	26,922	18,772	27,347	16,999	100,724	297,621	15,418	13,476	311,428	15,087	326,515‖	5·78
1925	14	6	184	22,841	1474	172	23,135	24,487	81,104	18,572	115,111	25,331	17,328	26,721	17,692	98,036	314,870	14,810	13,880	328,941	14,619	343,560‖	5·41
1926	14	6	183	22,969	1468	177	23,272	24,614	83,440	18,676	114,073	28,189	16,387	26,829	17,544	97,683	330,298	15,529	13,929	341,939	17,817	359,756‖	5·19
1927	14	6	191	23,218	1600	258	23,858	25,076	83,034	19,566	116,081	28,619	17,134	27,164	18,474	98,486	346,796	15,577	14,885	355,563	21,695	377,258‖	5·19

NOTE.—In years 1915 and 1916 the receipts include moneys which were found to be Trust Funds which should have appeared as transfers. The capital shows these funds (some £6000 in 1915 and £3725 in 1916) in duplicate, in addition to details shown in these two years respectively.

* Deducting cross entries, £1190 in 1905, £388 in 1906, £505 in 1907, £706 in 1908, £391 in 1909, £430 in 1910, £1334 in 1911, £706 in 1912, £1899 in 1913, and £1192 in 1914. In 1915 and onward for cross entries, see annual detail.

† Juvenile Lodges not included.

§ Capital of Lodges closed during year 1914, £45.

‖ Excluding value of Dispensary Stock on hand in 1913, £685; in 1914, £1588; in 1915, £1491; in 1916, £1744; in 1917, £1981, in 1918, £2403; in 1919, £2871; in 1920, £3060; in 1921, £3558; in 1922, £2986; in 1923, £3262; in 1924, £3526; in 1925, £3556; in 1926, £3750; in 1927, £3843.

‡ In 1920 and onward "Consolidated Sick Funds" and "Juvenile Funeral Funds," &c., which appear in District Returns for respective years in "Other Funds," are included in this column.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Secretaries of the various Lodges.]

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

(ADULT) MALE LODGES (OR BRANCHES)

MEMBERSHIP, Number, Ages, and Conditions of "Adult" Male Members.*

Societies.		Benefit Members.			Ages of Benefit Members.													Special Members.	
Names.	Branches.	Financial.	Unfinancial	Total.	16–19.	20–24.	25–29.	30–34.	35–39.	40–44.	45–49.	50–54.	55–59.	60–64.	65–69.	70 & over.	Unspecified	Average Age of Specified.	Registered Wives.	Honorary Members.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Yrs.	No.	No.
I.O.O.F. (Manchester Unity)—																				
Hobart District	3	707	20	727	7	31	39	65	54	63	61	53	76	93	74	70	41	50·8	456	..
Buckingham ditto	7	1530	159	1689	85	175	158	174	174	200	174	132	136	116	79	86	..	42·9	1161	1
Cornwall ditto	23	3253	18	3271	138	258	258	327	395	322	359	336	301	245	183	147	2	44·4	2228	23
I.O.O.F.—																				
Grand Lodge District	23	2611	273	2884	222	328	323	380	372	357	294	215	162	103	71	50	7	38·7	2104	139
I.O. Rechabites—																				
Southern Cross District	7	446	1	447	54	60	53	36	32	18	25	31	27	29	31	51	..	42·5	102	141
Tasmania ditto	14	1043	79	1122	69	94	130	95	98	124	80	95	89	88	87	66	7	44·1	740	16
A.O. Foresters—																				
Tasmania District	5	732	30	762	38	88	101	109	109	97	95	41	42	19	12	11	..	38·2	530	6
Launceston ditto	1	1044	..	1044	124	101	91	113	122	112	100	109	60	37	10	19	46	38·4	836	..
Longford ditto	1	225	9	234	2	7	21	27	26	22	25	28	25	11	16	13	11	46·6	168	1
U.A.O. Druids	49	5997	355	6352	391	745	855	871	951	890	660	488	254	138	74	32	3	37·3	3451	262
G.U.O.F. Gardeners	1	136	8	144	6	7	8	6	17	6	16	32	20	17	8	1	..	47 5	99	5
Protestant Alliance F.S.	8	1172	71	1243	62	123	161	135	172	135	134	93	81	51	49	37	10	40·6	607	64
Australian Natives' Association	8	999	59	1058	111	149	286	194	130	78	47	26	20	9	1	..	7	31·5	751	74
Hibernian A.C.B.S.	7	539	40	579	67	89	82	58	62	50	61	39	39	17	11	4	..	36·4	311	29
Total	157	20,434	1122	21,556	1376	2255	2566	2590	2714	2474	2131	1718	1332	973	706	587	134	40·0	13,538	752
Percentage under age groups	..	..	..	100·00	6·38	10·46	11·90	12·02	12·59	11·48	9·89	7·97	6·18	4·51	3·28	2·72	·62	..	..	..
Various Societies—																				
Southern Accident	1	12	..	12	..	..	..	2	2	4	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	43·5	..	..
Portland Accident	1	30	..	30	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30		..	..
St. John's F.S. (*b*)	1	138	..	138	..	7	7	9	11	19	24	22	15	7	8	9	..		73	..
Tas. Railway Provident	1	373	..	373	6	23	41	45	52	59	47	51	25	23	1	..	..		..	..
Medical Union, Williamsford	1	388	..	388	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	388		..	..
Electro.Zinc Employees M.U.	1	721	..	721	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	721		..	..
Total	6	1662	..	1662	6	30	48	56	65	82	72	73	40	33	9	9	1139	43·5	73	..
Grand Total (Males)	163	22,096	1122	23,218	1382	2285	2614	2646	2779	2556	2203	1791	1372	1006	715	596	1273	40·1	13,611	752

* Throughout these returns the word *Adult* refers to persons over 16 years of age. (*b*) Mixed sexes.

(ADULT) FEMALE LODGES.

MEMBERSHIP, Number, Ages, and Conditions of Members of Adult Female Lodges.

Societies.		Benefit Members.			Ages of Benefit Members.													Special Members.
Names.	Branches	Financial.	Unfinancial.	Total.	16–19.	20–24.	25–29.	30–34.	35–39.	40–44.	45–49.	50–54.	55–59.	60–64.	65–69.	70 and over.	Unspecified.	Average Age (of specified).	Honorary Members.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No	No.	No.	No.	Years.	No.
I.O.O.F. (Manchester Unity)—																			
Buckingham District	1	122	12	134	44	36	20	16	8	4	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	25·7	1
Cornwall District	3	108	..	108	9	23	18	15	15	14	7	5	1	1	..	..	..	32·7	..
I.O.O.F.—Grand Lodge District	4	431	47	478	123	173	82	42	32	16	6	4	..	..	..	..	..	25·3	126
I.O. Rechabites—																			
Southern Cross District	1	69	3	72	3	10	3	5	12	11	3	2	3	3	5	11	1	45·2	3
Tasmania District	1	68	..	68	1	5	6	4	7	5	4	7	11	9	6	3	..	48·3	2
A.O. Foresters—																			
Tasmania District	1	156	..	156	28	30	22	7	12	7	24	14	4	6	2	..	..	34·4	..
Launceston District	1	102	11	113	48	27	7	12	9	3	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	25·3	..
Longford District	1	48	2	50	4	12	10	8	11	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30·0	..
Protestant Alliance F.S.	3	240	15	255	49	76	29	40	25	17	11	5	2	1	..	..	..	28·7	18
Australian Natives' Assn.	1	28	..	28	3	3	5	2	7	6	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	33·8	20
Hibernian A.C.B.S.	3	133	5	138	17	31	35	14	16	8	7	5	3	2	..	..	..	30·8	11
Totals	20	1505	95	1600	329	426	237	165	154	96	72	47	24	22	13	14	1	29·9	181

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

JUVENILES' LODGES.

MEMBERSHIP, Number, Ages, and Conditions of Members of Juveniles' Lodges.

Society.	Benefit Members.				Ages.	Progress.			
Name.	Branches.	Financial.	Unfinancial.	Total.	Under 18.	Admissions.	Departures.		Increase of Membership.
							Deaths.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
I.O. Rechabites—									
Southern Cross District	3	82	..	82	82	41	1	88	—47
Tasmania District*	5	175	1	176	176	68	..	37	31
Total	8	257	1	258	258	109	1	125	—16

* Includes 3 Branches, which had not previously furnished returns.

(ADULT) MALE LODGES.

SICKNESS, Mortality, and Progress.

Societies	Sickness.		Progress during Year.					Per 1000 Financial Adult Male Members.						Special Members.		
			Admissions.		Departures.			Sickness.		Progress during Year.				Progress.		
Names.	Cases.	Duration.	Initiations.	Total.	Deaths.	Total.	Increase of Benefit Members.	Cases.	Duration.	Total Admissions.	Deaths.	Total Departures.	Increase of Benefit Members.	Registered Wives.		Honorary Members Increase.
														No. Died.	Increase.	
	No.	Days.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Days.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
I.O.O.F. (Manchester Unity)—																
Hobart District	157	9468	25	27	15	31	—4	222	13,392	38	21·2	44	—6	6	—17	..
Buckingham District	305	21,995	83	83	19	93	—10	199	14,376	54	12·4	61	—7	6	3	..
Cornwall District	747	51,890	115	119	42	176	—57	230	15,951	37	12·9	54	—17	35	—121	—3
I.O.O.F.—Grand Lodge District	569	30,278	243	266	26	232	34	218	11,596	102	10·0	89	13	16	—23	23
I.O. Rechabites—																
Southern Cross District	79	4258	29	29	7	26	3	177	9547	65	15·7	58	7	1	—10	47
Tasmania District	256	19,691	50	59	19	51	8	245	18,879	57	18·2	49	8	6	118	—3
A.O. Foresters—																
Tasmania District	135	7933	25	27	11	18	9	184	10,837	37	15·0	12	25	3	1	..
Launceston District	212	13,075	32	34	14	44	—10	203	12,524	33	13·4	42	—9	6	7	..
Longford District	45	3504	6	7	2	10	—3	200	15,573	31	8·9	44	—13	2	—1	..
U.A.O. Druids	1098	55,995	406	510	33	385	125	183	9337	85	5·5	64	21	33	94	75
G.U.O.F. Gardeners	29	2241	6	7	2	5	2	213	16,478	52	14·7	37	15	3	—6	..
Protestant Alliance F.S.	229	15,153	81	84	21	84	..	195	12,929	72	17·9	72	..	6	—5	11
Australian Natives' Association	194	6788	119	131	9	93	38	194	6795	131	9·0	93	38	1	14	—10
Hibernian A.C.B.S.	92	6774	79	85	4	40	45	171	12,568	158	7·4	74	84	2	21	2
Total	4147	249,043	1299	1468	224	1288	180	203	12,188	72	11·0	63	9	126	75	142
Various—																
Southern Accident	1	6	..	..	..	3	—3	83	500					..	..	..
Portland Accident	5	153	..	..	..	42	—42	167	5100					..	..	..
St. John's F.S.	..	..	2	2	3	9	—7	..	.					4	—2	..
Tasmanian Railway Provident	83	2178	146	147	1	97	50	223	5839	193	2·4	152	41	..	..	..
Williamsford Medical Union	..	..	30	30	..	..	30	..	..					..	..	..
Electrolytic Zinc Employees' M.U.	..	..	142	142	..	101	41	..	..					..	..	..
Grand Total	4236	251,380	1619	1789	228	1540	249	192	11,377	81	10·3	70	11	130	73	142

(ADULT) FEMALE LODGES.

SICKNESS, Mortality, and Progress.

Societies.	Sickness.		Progress during Year.					Per 1000 Financial (Adult) Female Members.					
			Admissions.		Departures			Sickness		Progress.			
Names.	Cases.	Duration.	Initiation.	Total.	Deaths.	Total.	Increase in Membership.	Cases.	Duration.	Total Admissions	Deaths.	Total Departures.	Increase in Membership during Year.
	No.	Days.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Days.	No.	No.	No.	No.
I.O.O.F. (Manchester Unity)—													
Buckingham District	14	437	32	32	1	19	13	115	3582	262	8·2	156	106
Cornwall District	14	1355	5	7	..	10	—3	130	12,546	65	..	93	—28
I.O.O.F.—Grand Lodge District	44	1395	132	133	2	78	55	102	3237	309	4·6	181	128
I.O. Rechabites—													
Southern Cross District	12	1319	5	5	3	4	1	174	19,116	72	43·5	58	14
Tasmania District	9	883	3	4	..	2	2	132	12,985	58	..	29	29
A.O. Foresters—													
Tasmania District	17	1480	15	15	3	15	..	109	9487	96	19·2	96	—
Launceston District	7	876	4	4	..	16	—12	69	8588	39	..	157	—118
Longford District	13	286	5	5	..	4	1	271	5958	104	..	83	21
Protestant Alliance F.S.	21	1471	55	55	..	29	26	87	6129	229	..	121	108
Australian Natives' Association	6	2 4	28	28	..	..	28	214	9429	1000		..	1000
Hibernian A.C.B.	13	434	26	29	1		21	98	3263	218	7·5	60	158
Total	170	10,200	310	317	10	185	132	113	6777	211	6·6	123	88

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

AGES OF MEMBERS OF (ADULT) MALE LODGES.

Decennial Summary.

Year.	Benefit Members.		Ages.												
	Total.	Members whose ages are specified.	16–19.	20–24.	25–29.	30–34	35–39.	40–44.	45–49.	50–54.	55–59.	60–64.	65–69.	70 & over.	Average Age.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years.
1918	20,604	20,302	1372	2449	2969	2990	2717	2310	1823	1409	1026	607	362	268	37·3
1919	20,840	20,614	1453	2368	2935	3040	2776	2395	1814	1411	1085	658	412	267	38·1
1920	21,440	21,119	1607	2530	2969	3043	2796	2403	1853	1471	1075	684	367	321	37·3
1921	21 520	20,637	1379	2438	2729	3099	2702	2302	1875	1495	1128	716	414	360	37·8
1922	22,010	21,709	1437	2511	2882	2977	2820	2382	2017	1630	1292	850	498	413	38·6
1923	22,866	21,825	1288	2454	2692	3049	2844	2463	2071	1710	1320	948	536	450	39·2
1924	22,817	21,749	1313	2447	2664	2907	2903	2488	2075	1674	1273	960	551	494	39·3
1925	22,841	21,684	1307	2383	2670	2819	2922	2434	2123	1682	1282	1015	599	498	39·6
1926	22,969	21,731	1364	2275	2646	2692	2884	2396	2116	1741	1356	1019	677	565	39·9
1927	23,218	21,945	1382	2285	2614	2646	2779	2556	2203	1791	1372	1006	715	596	40·1

PERCENTAGE under Age Groups and Comparison with General Male Population.

		Total %												
1918	..	100	6·8	12·1	14·6	14·7	13·4	11·4	9·0	6·9	5·0	3·0	1·8	1·3	..
1919	..	100	7·0	11·5	14·2	14·8	13·5	11·6	8·8	6·8	5·3	3·2	2·0	1·3	..
1920	..	100	7·6	12·0	14·1	14·4	13·2	11·4	8·8	7·0	5·1	3·2	1·7	1·5	..
1921	..	100	6·8	12·1	13·4	15·1	13·1	11·2	9·0	7·1	5·3	3·4	1·9	1·6	..
1922	..	100	6·6	11·6	13·3	13·7	13·0	11 0	9·3	7·5	5·9	3·9	2·3	1·9	..
1923	..	100	5·9	11·2	12·3	14·0	13·0	11·3	9·5	7·8	6·1	4·3	2·5	2·1	..
1924	..	100	6·0	11·3	12·3	13·4	13·3	11·4	9·5	7·7	5·9	4·4	2·5	2·3	..
1925	..	100	6·0	10·8	12·3	13·0	13·5	11·2	9·8	7·8	5·9	4·7	2·7	2·3	..
1926	..	100	6·3	10·5	12·2	12·4	13·3	11 0	9·7	8·0	6·2	4·7	3·1	2·6	..
1927	..	100	6·3	10·4	11·9	12·1	12·7	11·6	10·0	8·2	6·2	4·6	3·3	2·7	..
Census Population over 15.															
1921	..	100	14·4	12·3	11·2	10·9	9·8	8·6	7·3	7·1	6·2	5·1	3·3	3·8	..

AGES OF MEMBERS OF (ADULT) FEMALE LODGES.

Decennial Summary.

Year.	Benefit Members.		Ages.												
	Total.	Members whose ages are specified.	16–19.	20–24.	25–29.	30–34.	35–39.	40–44.	45–49.	50–54.	55–59.	60–64.	65–69.	70 & over.	Average Age.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years.
1918	1392	1392	279	428	253	152	103	65	43	28	15	18	5	3	28·2
1919	1417	1417	264	401	286	170	120	63	49	27	16	10	6	5	29·0
1920	1417	1414	262	413	267	167	109	65	49	31	23	13	7	8	28·3
1921	1368	1367	259	368	269	173	103	59	61	27	27	10	6	5	28·9
1922	1420	1420	288	400	252	161	110	65	60	34	24	13	7	6	28·9
1923	1501	1500	272	381	269	211	119	72	63	45	33	20	9	6	29·9
1924	1453	1453	285	356	235	189	124	77	66	51	31	22	8	9	30 2
1925	1474	1466	282	353	216	197	131	99	65	44	27	29	12	11	30·6
1926	1468	1465	277	375	220	191	130	87	65	39	25	27	12	17	30·4
1927	1600	1599	329	426	237	165	154	96	72	47	24	22	13	14	29·9

PERCENTAGE under Age Groups and Comparison with General Female Population.

		Total %												
1918	..	100	20·0	30·8	18·2	10·9	7·4	4·7	3·1	2·0	1·1	1·3	·3	·2	..
1919	..	100	18·6	28·3	20·2	12·0	8·5	4·4	3·5	1·9	1·1	·7	·4	·4	..
1920	..	100	18·5	29·2	18·9	11·8	7·7	4·6	3·5	2·2	1·6	·9	·5	·6	..
1921	..	100	18·9	26·9	19·7	12·7	7·5	4·3	4·5	2·0	2·0	·7	·4	·4	..
1922	..	100	20·3	28·2	17·7	11·3	7·8	4·6	4·2	2·4	1·7	·9	·5	·4	..
1923	..	100	18·1	25·4	17·9	14·1	7·9	4·8	4·2	3·0	2·2	1·4	·6	·4	..
1924	..	100	19·6	24·5	16·2	13·0	8·5	5·3	4·6	3·5	2·1	1·5	·6	·6	..
1925	..	100	19·2	24·1	14·7	13·5	8·9	6·8	4·4	3·0	1·8	2·0	·8	·8	..
1926	..	100	18·9	25·6	15·0	13·0	8·9	6·0	4·4	2·7	1 7	1·8	·8	1·2	..
1927	..	100	20·6	26·7	14·8	10·3	9·6	6·0	4·5	2·9	1·5	1·4	·8	·9	..
Census Population over 15.															
1921	..	100	14·0	13·1	12·7	11·4	9·9	8·4	6·9	6·2	5·5	4·7	3·0	4·2	..

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

AGES OF MEMBERS WHO DEPARTED BY DEATH AND OTHER CAUSES (INCLUDING CLEARANCES).

(ADULT) Male Members who Departed by Death.

Society.	Total Departures.	Number whose Ages were—											
		16–19.	20–24.	25–29.	30–34.	35–39.	40–44.	45–49.	50–54.	55–59.	60–64.	65–69.	70 and upwards.	Unspecified.
I.O.O.F. (Manchester Unity)—														
Hobart District	15	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	3	1	1	2	6	..
Buckingham District	19	..	..	1	..	1	2	1	..	..	2	5	7	..
Cornwall District	42	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	5	8	6	7	12	..
I.O.O.F. Grand Lodge District	26	..	1	1	1	..	3	3	2	4	5	3	3	..
I.O.R. (Salford Unity)—														
Southern Cross District	7	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	5	..
Tasmania District	19	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	3	6	4	3	..
A.O.F.—														
Tasmania District	11	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	6	..	..
Launceston District	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	3	9	..
Longford District	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
U.A.O.D., Tasmania District	33	..	2	1	2	3	4	3	2	6	5	1	3	1
G.U.O.F. Gardeners	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..
Protestant Alliance F.S.	21	1	..	..	1	1	1	..	2	..	4	3	6	2
Australian Natives' Association	9	..	1	1	1	3	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hibernian A.C. Benefit Society	4	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..
Various Societies	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	1
Total	228	1	4	8	5	13	12	10	17	29	31	36	56	6

(ADULT) Female Members who Departed by Death.

I.O.O.F. (Manchester Unity)—														
Buckingham District	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cornwall District	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
I.O.O.F., Grand Lodge District	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
I.O.R. (Salford Unity)—														
Southern Cross District	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..
Tasmania District	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
A.O.F.—														
Tasmania District	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..
Launceston District	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Longford District	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Protestant Alliance F.S.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Australian Natives' Association	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hibernian Aus. C. Benefit Society	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	10	1	3	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	2	..

(ADULT) Male Members who Departed through Other Causes.

I.O.O.F. (Manchester Unity)—														
Hobart District	16	..	4	2	2	4	1	1	..	2	..	..	..	..
Buckingham District	74	5	18	21	12	10	2	5	1	..	..	..	..	..
Cornwall District	134	14	21	18	6	16	13	8	8	5	3	1	..	21
I.O.O.F., Grand Lodge District	206	37	37	36	42	22	16	5	3	3	..	..	..	5
I.O.R. (Salford Unity)—														
Southern Cross District	19	2	8	5	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Tasmania District	32	3	7	5	1	4	3	3	2	2	2	..	..	..
A.O.F.—														
Tasmania District	7	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
Launceston District	30	2	5	8	6	3	2	2	1	1	..	..	..	..
Longford District	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
U.A.O.D., Tasmania District	352	29	93	78	46	44	27	15	6	3	1	..	..	10
G.U.O.F. Gardeners	3	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Protestant Alliance F.S.	63	7	14	13	7	7	7	2	3	..	2	..	..	1
Australian Natives' Association	84	6	28	19	13	10	5	2	1	..	..	..	..	..
Hibernian A.C. Benefit Society	36	1	10	7	4	5	2	2	2	2	1	..	..	..
Various Societies	248	2	8	14	12	16	18	6	7	2	9	4	..	150
Total	1312	110	254	229	153	141	97	52	35	20	18	5	..	198

(ADULT) Female Members who Departed through Other Causes.

I.O.O.F. (Manchester Unity)—														
Buckingham District	18	2	11	..	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cornwall District	10	..	3	4	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
I.O.O.F. Grand Lodge District	76	12	42	15	4	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
I.O.R. (Salford Unity)—														
Southern Cross District	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tasmania District	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
A.O.F.—														
Tasmania Branch	12	..	2	4	3	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..
Launceston District	16	1	2	4	6	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Longford District	4	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Protestant Alliance F.S.	29	2	11	10	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Australian Natives' Association	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hibernian Aus. C. Benefit Society	7	2	3	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Total	175	19	77	41	22	4	5	2	2	1	..	..	1	1

Juveniles (not included above) who departed through other causes, other than death, were :—I.O.R Southern Cross District, 87 ; I.O.R., Tasmania District, 37 ; Total 124. There was one juvenile death in the Southern Cross District, I.O.R.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES

CASES OF SICKNESS UNDER AGE GROUPS.

(ADULT) Male Lodges.

Societies.	Name of Period.	Number of Members who received Sick Pay whose Ages were—												Total.	
		16 to 19.	20–24.	25–29.	30–34.	35–39.	40–44.	45–49.	50–54.	55–59.	60–64.	65–69.	70 and upwards.	Unspecified.	
		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
I.O.O F. (Manchester Unity)—															
Hobart District	First	..	3	5	4	6	10	9	13	15	19	16	21	4	125
	Second	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	5	7	..	16 } 157
	Third	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	4	8	..	16
Buckingham District	First	10	19	21	26	26	24	21	23	24	15	8	15	..	232
	Second	..	..	1	..	2	..	2	2	4	3	1	10	..	25 } 305
	Third	..	..	1	..	4	4	1	3	..	6	5	24	..	48
Cornwall District	First	17	33	31	44	60	52	62	68	63	50	43	44	..	567
	Second	..	1	4	1	10	8	12	19	19	19	20	67	..	180 } 747
	Third	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
I.O.O.F.—															
Grand Lodge District	First	15	43	34	64	65	51	54	47	34	33	10	15	1	466
	Second	..	1	3	1	1	1	6	1	4	5	7	6	..	36 } 569
	Third	..	..	1	1	3	3	6	7	15	11	14	6	..	67
I.O. Rechabites—															
Southern Cross District	First	9	4	5	4	4	1	4	3	4	7	6	15	..	66
	Second	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	7 } 79
	Third	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	4	..	6
Tasmania District	First	9	14	14	16	23	16	16	15	14	21	15	18	2	193
	Second	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	1	4	4	2	6	..	22 } 256
	Third	..	1	2	1	2	..	2	3	1	4	8	17	..	41
A.O. Foresters—															
Tasmania District	First	1	7	10	14	13	14	21	14	6	8	2	3	..	113
	Second	1	..	..	..	1	..	4	2	1	..	..	1	..	10 } 135
	Third	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	3	3	2	1	..	12
Launceston District	First	..	3	36	29	1	30	51	.	20	9	..	..	..	179
	Second	..	..	..	2	1	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	7 } 212
	Third	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	2	1	9	8	..	26
Longford District	First	..	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	35	35
	Second	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4 } 45
	Third	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	6
U.A.O. Druids—															
Tasmania District	First	39	102	98	112	128	136	127	105	61	28	14	8	4	962
	Second	1	7	5	8	8	6	6	2	5	1	2	1	..	52 } 1098
	Third	..	..	4	4	10	6	10	15	10	18	4	2	1	84
G.U.O.F. Gardeners—															
Tasmania District	First	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	9	5	2	4	..	..	24
	Second	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2 } 29
	Third	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1		..	3
Protestant Alliance F.S.—															
Tasmania District	First	8	12	18	11	20	24	15	12	10	17	9	19	..	175
	Second	..	1	..	2	4	1	1	..	1	3	2	5	..	20 } 229
	Third	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	2	3	8	12	7	34
Australian Natives' Association—															
Tasmania District	First	15	48	31	30	19	10	8	6	4	1	1	..	3	176
	Second	..	..	3	1	2	..	..		..	1	1	..	..	8 } 194
	Third	..	2	1	1	1	2	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	10
Hibernian A.C.B.S.—															
Tasmania District	First	4	6	6	6	5	9	8	5	10	7	1	4	..	71
	Second	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	3	3	..	..	..	10 } 92
	Third	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	2	2	..	4	..	..	11
Various	First	3	3	8	10	13	14	13	5	4	14	..	..	1	88 } 89
	Second	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	1
TOTAL —															
First Period	..	130	298	317	370	386	391	409	325	274	231	129	162	50	3472 } 4236
Second Period	..	5	14	18	18	31	16	34	27	44	44	41	104	4	400
Third Period	..	..	3	12	7	22	17	26	33	36	51	61	82	14	364
GRAND TOTAL	..	135	315	347	395	439	424	469	385	354	326	231	348	68	4236

NOTE.—Members of juvenile lodges do not receive sick pay. Persons over 16 years of age are eligible for membership for adult lodges.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

CASES OF SICKNESS UNDER AGE GROUPS

(ADULT) Female Lodges.

Societies.	Name of Period.	Number of Members who received Sick Pay whose Ages were—												Total	
		16–19.	20–24.	25–29.	30–34.	35–39.	40–44.	45–49.	50–54.	55–59.	60–64.	65–69.	70 and upwards.	Unspecified.	
		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
I.O.O.F. (Manchester Unity)—															
Buckingham District	First	5	2	1	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	12
	Second	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 } 14
	Third	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Cornwall District	First	..	1	3	2	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	10
	Second	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4 } 14
	Third	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
I.O.O.F.—															
Grand Lodge District	First	10	17	4	3	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	39
	Second	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2 } 44
	Third	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
I.O. Rechabites—															
Southern Cross District	First	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	5	..	10
	Second	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. } 12
	Third	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2
Tasmania District	First	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	5
	Second	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1 } 9
	Third	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	3
A.O. Foresters—															
Tasmania District	First	..	2	2	..	..	..	1	1	..	3	..	..	..	9
	Second	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	4 } 17
	Third	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Launceston District	First	1	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
	Second	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. } 7
	Third	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Longford District	First	..	2	3	1	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13
	Second	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. } 13
	Third	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Protestant Alliance F.S.—															
Tasmania District	First	1	4	3	3	3	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	18
	Second	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2 } 21
	Third	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Australian Natives' Association—															
Tasmania District	First	1	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	6
	Second	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. } 6
	Third	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hibernian A.C.B.S.—															
Tasmania District	First	3	4	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	12
	Second	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 } 13
	Third	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL	First	21	35	20	16	18	9	4	4	2	4	1	5	..	139
	Second	1	2	2	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	..	..	..	15 } 170
	Third	1	3	1	3	1	1	1	..	2	1	..	2	..	16
GRAND TOTAL	—	23	40	23	21	20	11	7	6	5	6	1	7	..	170

SICKNESS AND MORTALITY—*DECENNIAL SUMMARY*

Year.	SICKNESS.						DEATHS.							
	Males.			Females.			Males.		Registered Wives.		Females.		Juveniles.	
	Cases	Duration	Sick Pay	Cases	Duration	Sick Pay	Cases	Funeral Donations	Cases	Funeral Donations	Cases	Funeral Donations	Cases	Funeral Donations
	No.	Days.	£	No.	Days.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£
1918..	3462	165,534	19,357	178	10,368	596	322	25,952	80	1102	6	67	..	..
1919..	5166	212,028	27,517	236	8694	622	263	19,800	121	1317	12	121	1	10
1920..	4274	196,712	23,417	199	10 446	632	195	14,160	98	1418	7	70	..	..
1921..	4150	187,223	23,020	168	9252	590	201	13,893	105	1450	8	96	..	..
1922..	4109	202,749	24,310	203	11,165	708	169	12,876	99	1346	7	87	1	5
1923..	4801	228,673	26,748	206	10,454	655	198	13,783	96	1331	1	10	..	..
1924..	4308	222,127	26,217	212	11,206	705	249	17,097	115	1555	12	120	..	..
1925..	4007	216,933	24,814	168	8439	517	226	15,827	109	1452	4	49	..	..
1926..	4469	238,263	27,509	201	11,066	680	198	14,751	112	1567	7	69	..	..
1927..	4236	251,380	28,017	170	10,200	602	228	15,102	130	1886	10	136	1	10

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

DURATION OF SICKNESS UNDER AGE GROUPS OF CASES.

(ADULT) Male Lodges.

Societies.	Name of Period.	Duration of Sickness of Members who received Sick Pay whose Ages were—													Total.	
		16 to 19.	20–24	25–29.	30–34.	35–39.	40–44.	45–49.	50–54.	55–59.	60–64.	65–69.	70 and upwards.	Unspecified.		
		Dys.	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.	
I.O.O.F. (Manchester Unity)—																
Hobart District.....	First ...	..	121	72	83	154	174	288	568	458	904	772	1524	153	5271	9468
	Second .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	84	252	380	601	..	1317	
	Third ..	..	..	..	..	129	..	..	..	42	360	722	1627	..	2880	
Buckingham District...	First ...	176	680	634	734	732	867	674	617	414	589	656	908	..	7681	21,995
	Second .	..	..	7	..	77	..	110	156	280	232	48	1050	..	1960	
	Third ..	..		324	..	966	1201	25	697	..	1671	1314	6156	..	12,354	
Cornwall District	First ...	301	521	538	970	1659	1642	2435	1947	2569	2367	1953	2642	..	19,544	51,890
	Second .	..	78	631	24	1835	1148	2402	4113	2501	3393	3103	13,118	..	32,346	
	Third ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
I.O.O.F.—																
Grand Lodge District..	First ...	260	955	764	1016	2009	1207	1662	1273	1117	1490	575	834	78	13,240	30,278
	Second .	..	14	264	146	55	55	308	133	337	369	657	313	..	2651	
	Third ..	..	..	135	312	935	682	1333	1764	3039	2152	2468	1567	..	14,387	
I.O. Rechabites—																
Southern Cross District	First ...	170	56	199	154	65	10	100	180	78	263	323	828	..	2426	4258
	Second .	41	47	101	..	37	..	..	..	..	49	46	156	..	477	
	Third ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	263	192	900	..	1355	
Tasmania District.....	First ...	114	417	338	501	617	429	437	622	852	983	676	1285	18	7289	19,691
	Second .	..	204	..	186	..	..	..	75	316	257	36	366	..	1440	
	Third ..	..	18	546	48	612	..	624	834	246	1248	2076	4710	..	10,962	
A.O. Foresters—																
Tasmania District	First ...	26	183	193	285	520	421	446	372	449	458	139	255	..	3747	7933
	Second .	4	..	..	..	42	..	229	567	25	..	..	46	..	913	
	Third ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	532	276	936	864	624	41	..	3273	
Launceston District...	First ...	..	126	1260	702	156	1260	660	..	420	162	..	..	..	4746	13,075
	Second .	..	..	..	58	156	..	156	..	156	..	..	..	..	526	
	Third ..	..	..	..	..	3	312	624	624	624	312	2808	2496	..	7803	
Longford District	First ...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1767	1767	3504
	Second .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	405	405	
	Third ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1332	1332	
U.A.O. Druids—																
Tasmania District	First ...	831	2812	2657	3737	4015	4107	3950	2915	2632	1316	705	685	80	30,442	55,995
	Second .	54	305	540	864	772	772	711	133	773	156	176	36	..	5292	
	Third ..	..	..	602	525	2532	690	2354	4056	2232	5302	1068	588	312	20,261	
G.U.O.F. Gardeners—																
Tasmania District....	First ...	..	49	..	..	165	..	..	522	175	61	198	..	..	1170	2241
	Second .	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	118	..	..	..	135	
	Third ..	..	..	312	..	..	..	..	..	..	312	312	..	..	936	
Protestant Alliance F.S.—																
Tasmania District	First ...	263	303	276	276	365	697	523	296	151	927	420	673	..	5170	15,153
	Second .	..	99	..	185	76	120	34	..	156	168	151	353	..	1342	
	Third ..	..	..	..	..	..	86	234	..	618	924	1720	2875	2184	8641	
Australian Natives' Ass.—																
Tasmania District	First ...	200	1312	542	849	619	302	146	195	154	28	43	..	49	4439	6788
	Second .	..	..	151	136	176	..	...	..	..	62	145	..	..	670	
	Third ..	..	132	137	312	202	504	66	..	..	190	136	..	..	1679	
Hibernian A.C.B.S.—																
Tasmania District	First ...	110	276	141	51	112	376	329	216	660	411	63	289	..	3034	6774
	Second .	75	80	78	..	..	..	81	..	168	228	..	..	..	710	
	Third ..	..	..	378	..	..	..	156	624	624	..	1248	..	..	3030	
Various	First ...	56	70	147	155	399	281	475	275	205	223	..	..	6	2292	2337
	Second .	..	..	..	..	45	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	45	
Total	First ...	2507	7881	7761	9513	11,587	11,773	12,125	9998	10,334	10,182	6523	9923	2151	112,258	251,380
	Second .	191	827	1772	1599	3271	2095	4031	5177	4796	5284	4742	16,039	405	5 ,229	
	Third ..	..	150	2434	1197	5379	3475	5948	8875	8361	13,598	14,688	20,960	3828	88,893	
GRAND TOTAL	..	2698	8858	11,967	12,309	20,237	17,343	22,104	24,050	23,491	29,064	25,953	46,922	6384	251,380	
Length of Sickness per Case in each Age-group	..	20·0	28·1	34·5	31·2	46·1	40·9	47·1	62·5	66·4	89·1	112·3	134·8	93·9	59·3	

NOTE.—Persons of 16 years and over are eligible to become members of adult lodges.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

DURATION OF SICKNESS UNDER AGE GROUPS OF CASES.

(ADULT) Female Lodges.

Societies.	Name of Period.	Duration of Sickness of Members who received Sick Pay and whose Ages were—												Total.	
		16-19.	20-24.	25-29.	30-34.	35-39.	40-44.	45-49.	50-54.	55-59.	60-64.	65-69.	70 and upwards.	Unspecified.	
		Dys.	Dys.	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.
I.O.O.F. (Manchester Unity) —															
Buckingham District ..	First ...	91	112	26	68	12	..	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	321
	Second .	48	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	48 } 437
	Third ..	68	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	68
Cornwall District	First ...	..	8	314	36	37	32	61	57	..	..	..	..	..	545
	Second .	..	..	186	..	..	312	..	312	..	..	..	..	..	810 } 1355
	Third ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..
I.O.O.F.—															
Grand Lodge District ..	First ...	190	357	35	116	207	37	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	942
	Second .	..	78	..	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	101 } 1395
	Third ..	..	40	..	312	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	352
I.O. Rechabites—															
Southern Cross District	First ...	..	..	..	72	..	218	..	..	..	39	.	366	..	695
	Second .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. } 1319
	Third ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	624	..	624
Tasmania District . ..	First ...	..	12	26	..	..	..	..	..	237	..	84	..	..	359
	Second .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	156	..	..	..	..	156 } 883
	Third ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	348	20	..	..	..	368
A.O. Foresters—															
Tasmania District	First ...	..	45	41	..	..	..	53	11	..	118	..	..	..	268
	Second .	..	78	..	..	..	..	26	60	..	12	..	..	..	176 } 1480
	Third ..	..	234	312	312	.	178	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1036
Launceston District ...	First ..	24	36	36	156	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	252
	Second .	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. } 876
	Third ..	..	..	..	..	312	..	312	..	..	..	..	..	..	624
Longford District . ..	First ...	..	32	70	10	174	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	286
	Second .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. } 286
	Third ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Protestant Alliance F.S.—															
Tasmania District	First ...	1	144	203	337	195	158	157	..	.	..	..	..	..	1195
	Second .	..	..	..	156	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	162 } 1471
	Third ..	..	..	..	114	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	114
Australian Natives' Assn.—															
Tasmania District	First ...	6	6	..	48	54	138	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	264
	Second .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	.. } 264
	Third ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hibernian A.C.B.S.—															
Tasmania District	First ...	54	116	12	44	54	42	54	..	..	..	..	..	..	376
	Second .	..	..	..	..	58	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	58 } 434
	Third ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	First ...	366	868	763	887	733	625	325	92	237	157	84	366	..	5503
	Second .	48	156	186	179	58	312	32	372	156	12		..	..	1511 } 10,200
	Third ..	68	274	312	738	312	178	312	..	348	20	..	624	..	3186
GRAND TOTAL	..	482	1298	1261	1804	1103	1115	669	464	741	189	84	990	..	10,200
Length of Sickness per Case in each Age-group	..	21·0	32·4	54·8	85·9	55·2	101·4	35·6	77·2	148·2	31·5	84·0	141·4	..	60·0

NOTE.—Persons of 16 years and over are eligible for membership in adult lodges.

AVERAGE DURATION OF SICKNESS PER CASE UNDER EACH AGE GROUP.

	Year.	Age.													
		16-19.	20-24.	25-29.	30-34.	35-39.	40-44.	45-49.	50-54.	55-59.	60-64.	65-69.	70 and upwards.	Unspecified.	All.
		Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days	Days.	Days.	Days.
Adult Males—	1923...	19·5	29·9	28·3	33·1	30·6	43·2	42·2	44·7	64·7	76·2	109·2	138·3	51·6	47·6
	1924...	22·2	26·2	32·9	37·6	33·8	42·3	48·4	47·5	72·7	82·4	89·4	153·3	43·0	51·6
	1925...	24·6	28·5	28·7	32·9	37·0	44·9	54·3	53·2	79·1	83·7	95·9	147·7	55·4	54·1
	1926...	27·0	30·1	30·0	28·2	41·8	37·7	43·1	51·3	63·5	93·4	88·1	139·3	19·3	53·3
	1927...	20·0	28·1	34·5	31·2	46·1	40·9	47·1	62·5	66·4	89·1	112·3	134·8	93·9	59·3
Adult Females—	1923...	33·1	40·0	31·3	72·7	60·4	81·6	150·7	37·4	..	..	24·0	213·0	82·8	50·7
	1924...	44·0	37·3	63·8	61·1	39·4	62·9	88·1	68·0	95·0	101·1	62·6	130·0	30·3	52·9
	1925...	19·0	37·5	31·9	48·1	40·5	73·3	98·2	110·2	133·0	85·0	18·0	115·5	..	50·2
	1926...	28·8	37·5	48·0	64·4	44·2	90·4	43·3	120·9	107·3	67·2	41·0	103·9	..	55·1
	1927...	21·0	32·4	54·8	85·9	55·2	101·4	95·6	77·3	148·2	31·5	84·0	141·4	..	60·0

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

BRANCHES' FUNDS.

SICK and Funeral Funds.—Receipts and Expenditure for the Year 1927.

NAME OF SOCIETY.		RECEIPTS.								EXPENDITURE.										TOTAL RECEIPTS.	TOTAL EXPENDITURE.	BALANCE AT—	
		Contributions and Levies.	Initiation and Clearance Fees.	Interest.	For Funeral Donations.		From Loans.	Refunds and Transfers.	Other.	Sick Pay.		Levies to District.	Funeral Donations.	Management.		Loans.		Transferred.	Other.			Beginning of Year.	End of Year.
					From District.	Rec'ved by Lodge.				Lodge.	District.			Medical Attendance and Medicines.	Other Expenditure under this head.	Repaid.	Reciprocal Advances.						
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
I.O.O.F. (M.U.)—Hobart District	M	1341	..	..	680	..	..	1165	..	..	1163	1304	680	..	..	..	..	..	..	3186	3147	70	109
Buckingham District	M	3251	21	632	..	..	..	107	53	2040	..	530	..	..	..	..	81	..	46	4064	3697	17,187	17,554
	F	112	2	11	..	..	..	..	..	30	..	30	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	125	60	398	463
Cornwall District	M	7571	35	1338	315	..	..	1538	6	4479	1475	4410	315	..	..	..	111	..	..	10,803	10,790	24,753	24,766
	F	92	..	84	..	..	..	7	..	72	7	93	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	183	172	1526	1537
I.O.O.F.—Grand Lodge District	M	9201	46	80	1220	..	..	330	211	2827	253	2840	1245	2633	835	..	50	57	233	11,088	10,973	3017	3132
	F	716	21	24	10	..	..	2	2	90	..	166	10	298	112	..	..	4	26	775	706	363	432
I.O.R.— Southern Cross District	M	718	..	136	..	..	..	..	..	480	..	317	..	..	..	..	..	..	54	854	851	3228	3231
	F	69	..	1	..	..	..	15	..	56	15	19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	85	90	— 5	—10
	Juv.	16	..	7	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	9	..	..	14	..	..	4	..	24	27	45	42
Tasmania District	M	1200	..	363	..	..	..	668	6	1352	665	244	..	..	..	..	3	875	..	2237	3139	7839	6937
	F	52	..	29	..	..	..	..	..	44	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	81	44	533	570
	Juv.	24	..	10	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	20	37	27	44	54
A. O. F.—Tasmania District.....	M	1208	3	288	304	..	..	393	27	480	391	766	304	..	..	..	..	..	..	2223	1941	4763	5045
	F	144	..	124	..	..	..	..	..	52	..	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	268	64	2330	2534
Launceston District.....	M	1596	7	502	..	..	..	..	20	1566	..	..	512	..	..	..	..	..	..	2125	2078	10,975	11,022
	F	52	..	14	..	..	..	..	..	34	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	66	34	335	367
Longford District.....	M	257	3	215	..	..	..	..	..	453	..	..	50	..	..	..	..	..	..	475	503	5622	5594
	F	28	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	24	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	24	173	184
U.A.O.D.—Tasmania District	M	12,592	33	1565	3430	..	..	156	237	6570	19	5010	3445	..	..	..	30	20	178	18,013	15,272	32,915	35,656
G.U.O.F. Gardeners	M	237	1	538	130	..	..	..	1	245	..	95	130	..	..	..	..	..	1	907	471	5100	5536
Protestant Alliance F.S.	M	2360	11	498	1206	..	..	210	6	1212	208	1180	1206	..	..	..	..	..	5	4291	3811	9078	9558
	F	155	3	47	..	..	..	..	1	117	..	51	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	206	176	785	815
Australian Natives' Association.....	M	1923	8	4	810	..	..	10	..	861	10	891	810	..	..	..	..	100	2	2755	2674	732	813
	F	38	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	38	28	..	10
Hibernian A.C.B.S.	M	814	..	133	146	..	..	33	..	710	..	178	136	..	6	..	..	..	1	1126	1031	5665	5760
	F	98	1	40	..	..	..	..	..	34	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	139	43	1421	1517
Various—Southern Accident	M	16	..	15	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	31	10	319	340
Portland Accident	M	51	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	26	..	..	..	2	7	..	..	..	2	63	37	318	344
St. John's	M*	368	..	82	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	120	168	45	..	..	..	6	450	339	1233	1344
Tasmanian Railway	M	906	29	10	..	..	..	..	..	531	..	..	45	..	67	..	..	..	..	945	643	148	450
Williamsford Medical Union..	M	1662	..	4	..	..	..	..	470	..	..	..	..	1663	93	..	..	..	489	2136	2245	145	36
Electro. Zinc Employees M.U.	M	1377	..	..	..	..	..	..	291	..	..	..	..	1661	1	..	..	..	7	1668	1669	3	2
TOTAL ..... Gen...	M	44,269	168	6292	8241	..	..	4610	567	23,275	4184	18,765	8833	2633	841	..	275	1052	520	64,147	60,378	130,944	134,713
Special	M	4380	29	123	..	..	..	..	761	558	..	..	165	3494	222	..	..	..	504	5293	4943	2166	2516
	F	1556	27	381	10	..	..	24	3	578	22	371	22	298	112	..	..	4	34	2001	1441	7859	8419
	Juv.	40	..	17	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	9	..	..	21	..	..	4	20	61	54	89	96
GRAND TOTAL		50,245	224	6813	8251	..	..	4634	1335	24,411	4206	19,145	9020	6425	1196	..	275	106	1078	71,502	66,816	141,058	145,744

* Includes a few females.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

BRANCHES' FUNDS.

INCIDENTAL and Management Fund.—Receipts and Expenditure during the Year 1927.

NAME OF SOCIETY.		RECEIPTS.						EXPENDITURE.							TOTAL RECEIPTS.	TOTAL EXPENDITURE.	BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR.	BALANCE AT END OF YEAR.
		Contributions and Levies.	Initiations and Proposals.	Interest.	From Loans.	Refunds and Transfers.	Other.	Medical Attendance and Medicines.	Levies to District.	Expenses of Management.	Loans. Repaid.	Loans. Reciprocal Advances.	Transferred.	Other				
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
I.O.O.F. (M.U.)—Hobart District	M.	1150	5	31	..	116	27	898	204	219	..	13	..	7	1329	1341	723	711
Buckingham District	M.	2492	..	558	..	415	237	2114	190	593	..	42	146	107	3702	3192	2090	2600
	F.	126	..	11	..	..	12	125	6	26	..	..	..	4	149	161	14	2
Cornwall District	M.	4534	..	201	..	978	81	3261	498	1293	..	728	201	151	5794	6132	3785	3447
	F.	133	..	5	..	..	..	76	2	44	..	..	..	..	138	122	15	31
I.O.O.F.—Grand Lodge District	M.	839	16	17	125	..	2	387	268	156	20	..	..	62	999	893	736	842
	F.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
I.O.R.—Southern Cross District	M.	808	1	4	..	5	28	544	76	171	..	5	4	29	846	829	—268	—251
	F.	100	..	..	..	..	1	67	5	21	..	..	..	2	101	95	21	27
	Juv.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tasmania District	M.	1963	..	55	..	283	12	1022	576	378	..	250	..	77	2313	2303	707	717
	F.	77	..	2	..	..	..	46	9	21	..	..	..	..	79	76	37	40
	Juv.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
A.O.F.—Tasmania District	M.	1234	3	..	..	26	42	897	344	230	..	26	20	10	1305	1527	945	723
	F.	160	2	13	..	..	1	152	..	57	..	..	..	5	176	214	204	166
Launceston District	M.	1678	6	119	..	..	5	1227	..	482	..	..	..	..	1808	1709	7	106
	F	139	..	..	..	..	..	102	..	49	..	..	..	..	139	151	69	57
Longford District	M.	302	3	14	..	..	1	227	..	70	..	..	..	5	320	302	442	460
	F	41	..	..	..	..	..	31	..	7	..	..	..	..	41	38	2	5
U.A.O.D.—Tasmania District	M.	10,779	94	145	..	144	257	6066	1556	2698	..	74	80	593	11,419	11,067	3266	3618
G.U.O. Free Gardeners	M.	285	2	5	..	..	208	156	..	110	..	..	..	212	500	478	118	140
Protestant Alliance F. Society	M.	2223	15	20	..	26	15	1414	329	445	..	9	5	40	2299	2242	566	623
	F.	320	6	2	..	..	4	215	18	69	..	..	..	20	332	322	222	232
Australian Natives' Association	M.	1698	36	8	..	34	37	1005	215	487	..	66	..	31	1813	1804	117	126
	F.	107	2	..	..	..	1	37	..	17	..	13	..	2	110	69	..	41
Hibernian Aus. C.B. Society	M.	787	..	111	..	34	33	558	52	330	..	25	44	42	965	1051	111	25
	F.	128	1	40	..	..	7	112	3	39	..	..	..	1	176	155	21	42
Various—Southern Accident	M.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Portland Accident	M.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
St John's F.S.	M.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tasmanian Railway	M.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Williamsford Medical Union	M.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Electro. Zinc Employees, M.U.	M.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total—General	M.	30,772	181	1288	125	2061	985	19,776	4308	7662	20	1238	500	1366	35,412	34,870	13,345	13,887
Total—Special	M.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	F.	1331	11	73	..	..	26	963	43	350	..	13	..	34	1441	1403	605	643
Total	Juv.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
GRAND TOTAL		32,103	192	1361	125	2061	1011	20,739	4351	8012	20	1251	500	1400	36,853	36,273	13,950	14,530

NOTE.—M. stands for males F. for females.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

OTHER FUNDS

RETURN showing Receipts and Expenditure of "Other Funds" of Lodges and Districts in 1927.

NAME OF SOCIETY.		RECEIPTS. Contributions.	Interest.	From Loans.	Refunds and Transfers.	Other Receipts.	EXPENDITURE. Sick Pay or Donations.	Funeral Donations.	District Dues.	Management.	Repayment of Loans.	Transferred.	Miscellaneous.	Total Receipts.	Total Expenditure.	BALANCE AT— Beginning of Year.	End of Year.
Lodges.		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
I.O.O.F., M.U.- Hobart District	M.	33	6	...	...	31	...	...	...	...	...	39	...	70	39	129	160
Buckingham District	M.	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	9	2	51	58
Cornwall District	M.	105	57	...	11	67	...	...	...	30	...	41	63	240	134	1031	1137
	F.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	18
I.O.O.F.—Grand Lodge District	M.	218	88	...	12	248	...	85	...	...	...	32	278	566	395	2531	2702
	F.	16	1	...	4	22	...	...	...	...	...	2	36	43	38	41	46
I.O.R.—Southern Cross District	M.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Tasmania District	M.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
A.O.F.—Tasmania District	M.	27	3	...	...	10	...	...	26	...	...	...	6	40	32	40	48
Launceston District	M.	36	50	...	...	...	...	60	...	4	...	...	17	86	81	1990	1995
	F.	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	44	45
Longford District	M.	...	...	...	...	63	...	...	...	...	...	...	71	63	71	30	22
P.A.F.S.—Tasmania District	M.	124	4	...	5	13	...	...	...	59	...	12	37	146	108	294	332
	F.	4	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	5	4	7	12	9
A.N.A.—Tasmania District	M.	79	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	37	...	...	12	83	49	54	88
H.A.C.B.—Tasmania District	M.	32	47	...	...	2	...	11	...	...	...	5	14	81	30	948	999
	F.	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	14	16
Total	M.	663	258	...	28	435	...	156	26	130	...	129	500	1384	941	7099	7542
	F.	23	1	...	4	22	2	...	...	...	...	2	41	50	45	129	134
GRAND TOTAL (Lodges)		686	259	...	32	457	2	156	26	130	...	131	541	1434	986	7228	7676
Districts.																	
I.O.O.F., M.U.—Hobart District		942	207	...	33	...	1195	...	...	...	...	...	31	1182	1226	5908	5864
Buckingham District		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	23
Cornwall District		1248	378	...	...	...	1481	...	...	...	...	...	...	1626	1481	6646	6791
I.O.O.F.—Grand Lodge District		1049	270	...	50	...	297	6	...	...	...	25	...	1369	328	4720	5761
I.O.R.—Southern Cross District		145	306	...	...	...	15	10	...	19	...	...	...	451	44	6832	7239
Tasmania District		1484	722	...	956	...	1506	370	...	126	...	925	10	3162	2937	14,384	14,609
A.O.F.—Tasmania District		794	...	...	...	...	787	...	...	...	...	15	...	794	802	921	913
U.A.O. Druids District		...	...	...	2475	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2475	...	12,650	15,125
G.U.O.F. Gardeners District		42	44	...	...	...	...	60	...	...	...	..	...	86	60	762	788
Protestant Alliance F.S. District		266	86	...	1000	284	222	...	...	36	...	284	...	1636	542	5497	6591
Australian Natives' Association District		874	617	...	50	70	46	720	...	4	...	296	55	1611	1121	12,964	13,454
Total (Districts)		6844	2630	...	4564	354	5549	1166	...	185	...	1545	96	14,392	8541	71,307	77,158

M = Males. F = Females.

U.F.S DISPENSARIES.

OTHER FUNDS.

NAME OF FUND.	RECEIPTS. Contributions from Lodges.	Interest.	Transfers.	Other Receipts.	EXPENDITURE. Management.	Drugs and Medicines.	Transfers.	Other Expenditure.	Total Receipts.	Total Expenditure.	Balance at beginning of Year.	Balance at end of Year. Goods.	Cash, &c.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Hobart U.F.S. (Building Fund)	...	75	104	45	...	...	..	94	224	94	3412	..	3542
Ditto (Trade Fund)	2976	6	...	3214	2145	3595	104	256	6196	6100	1775	1477	394
Launceston U.F.S. (Building Fund)	1538	...	...	6009	2182	4484	...	226	7547	6892	1262	...	1260
Ditto (Trade Fund)											3488	2366	1779
TOTAL	4514	81	104	9268	4327	8079	104	576	13,967	13,086	9937	3843	6975

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

DISTRICT MANAGEMENT FUND, 1927.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	RECEIPTS.				EXPENDITURE.			Total Receipts.	Total Expenditure.	BALANCE AT	
	Contributions from Lodges.	Interest †	Transfers and Refunds.	Other.	Management.	Transferred.	Other.			Beginning of Year.	End of Year.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
I.O.O.F. (M.U.)—											
Hobart District	118	..	..	..	127	..	..	118	127	—21	—30
Buckingham District	193	13	..	23	228	..	67	229	295	95	29
Cornwall District	509	15	50	8	501	9	237	582	747	467	302
I.O.O.F.—											
Grand Lodge of Tasmania	580	32	28	102	729	.	90	742	819	197	120
I.O. Rechabites—											
Southern Cross District	76	2	..	24	88	..	14	102	102	35	35
Tasmania District	175	385	95	219	438	316	86	874	840	413	447
A.O. Foresters—											
Tasmania District	101	5	15	16	110	..	19	137	129	79	87
Launceston District	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Longford District	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
U.A.O. Druids—											
Grand Lodge of Tasmania	1307	..	..	355	1305	..	465	1662	1770	—509	—617
G.U. Order Free Gardeners	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	4	4
Protestant Alliance Friendly Society	334	89	..	36	452	..	35	459	487	271	243
A.N.A.	96	77	266	61	546	26	50	506	622	403	281
H.A.C.B.S.	69	59	..	12	100	..	39	140	139	145	146
TOTAL	3558	677	454	856	4624	351	1102	5545	6077	1579	1047

† Includes rent.

DISTRICT FUNERAL FUND, 1927.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	RECEIPTS.				EXPENDITURE.			Total Receipts.	Total Expenditure.	BALANCE AT	
	Contributions from Lodges.	Interest.	Transfers and Refunds.	Other.	Funeral Donations.	Refunds & Transfers.	Other Expenditure.			Beginning of Year	End of Year.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
I.O.O.F. (M.U.)—											
Hobart District	388	297	..	..	750	..	..	685	750	3697	3632
Buckingham District	1552	369	..	..	1348	..	..	1921	1348	7107	7680
Cornwall District	3294	2497	..	..	4439	..	..	5791	4439	40,933	42,285
I.O.O.F.—											
Grand Lodge of Tasmania	1754	996	..	..	1330	..	..	2750	1330	16,964	18,384
I.O. Rechabites—											
Southern Cross District	221	112	..	..	375	..	..	333	375	2258	2216
Tasmania District	467	759	..	..	834	..	10	1226	844	20,138	20,520
A.O. Foresters—											
Tasmania District	416	184	..	..	436	..	..	600	436	3195	3359
Launceston District	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Longford District	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
U.A.O. Druids—											
Grand Lodge of Tasmania	6456	1520	..	742	3885	742	392	8718	5019	28,859	32,558
G.U. Order Free Gardeners	50	47	..	..	60	..	..	97	60	898	935
Protestant Alliance F.S.	1109	557	..	24	1248	..	55	1690	1303	9293	9680
A.N.A.	320	348	10	145	200	103	36	823	339	4612	5096
H.A.C.B.S.	254	59	..	2	180	..	..	315	180	2199	2334
TOTAL	16,281	7745	10	913	15,085	845	493	24,949	16,423	140,153	148,679

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.

NAME OF SOCIETY.	TOTAL FUNDS.		INVESTMENTS AT INTEREST.			Bank Current Account.	Cash in hands of Treasurer or other Officer.	Rate of Interest earned by Investments.
	Controlled by	Amount.	Banks.	Mortgages, Halls, &c.	Other Investments: Government Securities, &c.			
		£	£	£	£	£	£	%
I.O.O.F. (M.U.)—								
Hobart District	District	9466	500	1751	6816	399	..	5·3
	Lodges M.	980	156	..	538	280	6	
	Lodges F.	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Buckingham District	District	7732	267	..	6789	672	4	5·6
	Lodges M.	20,212	993	2673	15,636	891	19	
	Lodges F	465	65	..	400	..	..	
Cornwall District	District	49,378	2905	..	46,473	..	..	5·7
	Lodges M.	29,350	578	3283	24,371	1105	13	
	Lodges F.	1586	157	..	1429	..	..	
I.O.O.F.—								
Grand Lodge District	District	24,265	13	1314	22,562	376	..	4·8
	Lodges M.	6676	326	1601	2165	2467	117	
	Lodges F.	478	249	..	200	24	5	
I.O. Rechabites—								
Southern Cross District	District	9490	430	3775	4300	985	..	4·5
	Lodges M.	2981	156	497	2023	271	34	
	Lodges F.	59	28	..	..	31	..	
Tasmania District	District	35,576	..	22,807	12,564	205	..	5·7
	Lodges M.	7654	208	..	7101	295	50	
	Lodges F.	664	86	..	550	26	2	
A.O. Foresters—								
Tasmania District	District	4359	154	..	4205	..	..	4·8
	Lodges M.	5816	221	..	5338	223	34	
	Lodges F.	2700	197	..	2500	..	3	
Launceston District	Lodges M.	13,123	67	12,470	..	586	..	5·0
	Lodges F.	469	119	200	150	..	..	
Longford District	Lodges M.	6076	..	1925	2248	1903	..	3·8
	Lodges F.	189	..	..	100	89	..	
U.A.O. Druids—								
Tasmania District	District	47,066	..	42,554	2490	2022	..	4·5
	Lodges M.	39,274	1590	2813	31,293	3499	79	
	Lodges F.	..	..	..	..	..	..	
G.U.O.F. Gardeners—								
Tasmania District	District	1727	169	..	770	788	..	8·6
	Lodges M.	5676	101	1026	4519	30	..	
	Lodges F.	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Protestant Alliance F.S.—								
Tasmania District	District	16,514	697	..	14,950	867	..	5·8
	Lodges M.	10,513	804	2980	6047	660	22	
	Lodges F.	1056	102	..	876	..	18	
Australian Natives' Assn.—								
Tasmania District	District	18,831	2216	130	16,485	..	..	5·4
	Lodges M.	1027	680	5	..	340	12	
	Lodges F.	51	51	..	..	..	..	
Hibernian A.C.B.—								
Tasmanian District	District	2480	..	..	2200	280	..	4·5
	Lodges M.	6784	232	113	5913	525	1	
	Lodges F.	1575	807	..	348	410	10	
Various (Special)	Lodges M.	2516	1023	..	1443	5	45	4·9
Total Districts	..	226,884	7351	72,331	140,604	6594	4	..
Lodges	M.	158,658	7135	29,386	108,635	12,080	422	..
	F.	9196	1867	200	6553	540	36	..
	JUV.	96	54	..	..	40	2	..
Grand Total (Districts & Branches)	.	394,834	16,407	101,917	255,792	20,254	464	5·26
Dispensaries	..	6975	..	5598	400	977	..	1·2
GRAND TOTAL*	..	401,809	16,407	107,515	256,192	21,231	464	5·19

NOTE.—In the I.O.R., Southern Cross District, funds under F include for Juveniles £42, and in Tasmania District £54.

* Includes duplicated Funds—	£	£
Trust—I.O.O.F., Grand Lodge	235	
I.O.R., Tasmania	2975	
U.A.O.D.	15,175	
P.A.F.S.	5550	
		23,935
Owing by Lodges—I.O.O F. (M.U.) Hobart	141	
I.O.R., Tasmania	217	
A.N.A.	258	
		616
Total		£24,551

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

TABLE showing Accumulated Capital of Friendly Societies (Branches and Districts) under Specified Funds, and for each Society furnishing Returns.

Society.	Branches' Funds.				Districts' Funds.				Grand Total Funds.	Trust Funds, &c. Duplicated.
	Sick and Funeral.	Management and Incidental.	Other.	Total.	Funeral, &c.	Management.	Other. (a)	Total.	Gross.	
I.O.O.F. (M.U.)—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Hobart District	109	711	160	980	3632	—30	5864	9466	10,446	141
Buckingham District	18,017	2602	58	20,677	7680	29	23	7732	28,409	...
Cornwall District	26,303	3478	1155	30,936	42,285	302	6791	49,378	80,314	...
Total	44,429	6791	1373	52,593	53,597	301	12,678	66,576	119,169	141
I.O.O.F.—										
Grand Lodge District	3564	842	2748	7154	18,384	120	5761	24,265	31,419	235
I.O. Rechabites (Salford Unity)—										
Southern Cross District	3263	—224	1	3040	2216	35	7239	9490	12,530	...
Tasmania District	7561	757	...	8318	20,520	447	14,609	35,576	43,894	3192
Total	10,824	533	1	11,358	22,736	482	21,848	45,066	56,424	3192
A.O. Foresters—										
Tasmania District M	5045	723	48	5816	3359	87	913	4359	12,875	...
Tasmania District F	2534	166	...	2700						
Launceston District M	11,022	106	1995	13,123	...	...	...	...	13,123	...
Launceston District F	367	57	45	469	...	...	...	...	469	...
Longford District M	5594	460	22	6076	...	...	...	...	6076	...
Longford District F	184	5	...	189	...	...	...	...	189	...
Total	24,746	1517	2110	28,373	3359	87	913	4359	32,732	...
U.A.O. Druids—										
Tasmania District	35,656	3618	...	39,274	32,558	—617	15,125	47,066	86,340	15,175
G.U.O. Free Gardeners—										
Tasmania District	5536	140	...	5676	935	4	788	1727	7403	...
Protestant Alliance Friendly Society—										
Tasmania District	10,373	855	341	11,569	9680	243	6591	16,514	28,083	5550
Australian Natives' Association	823	167	88	1078	5096	281	13,454	18,831	19,909	258
Hibernian A.C.B Society	7277	67	1015	8359	2334	146	...	2480	10,839	...
Various Societies—										
Dover—Southern Accident	340	...	...	340	...	...	...	...	340	...
Gould's C'ntry—Portland Accident	344	...	...	344	...	...	...	...	344	...
L'ton—St. John's Friendly Society	1344	...	...	1344	...	...	...	...	1344	...
Ditto—Tas. Government Railway	450	...	...	450	...	...	...	...	450	...
Montagu Medical Union	36	...	...	36	...	...	...	...	36	...
Electrolytic Zinc Employees (M.U.)	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...
Hobart U.F.S. Dispensary	...	...	3936	3936	...	...	...	...	3936	...
Launceston ditto	...	...	3039	3039	...	...	...	...	3039	...
TOTALS	145,744	14,530	14,651	174,925	148,679	1047	77,158	226,88	401,809	24,551
									£377,258 Total Funds.	

(a) Includes—

		£	£
Consolidated Sick Funds	I.O.O.F.(M.U.) Hobart	5831	
" " "	I.O.O.F.(M.U.) Cornwall	6791	
" " "	I.O.O.F. Grand Lodge	5212	
" " "	I.O.R. Southern Cross	6479	
" " "	I.O.R. Tasmania	9846	
" " "	A.O.F. Tasmania	913	
" " "	A.N.A.	14,166	
			49,238
Juvenile Funeral Funds	I.O.R.	623	
" " "	P.A.F.S.	44	
			667
Widows and Orphans Funds	I.O.O.F. Grand Lodge	298	
" " "	G.U.O.F.G.	755	
			1053
Reserve Funeral Fund, I.O.R.		...	1415

NOTE.—The total amount of Funds in 1926 = £359,756, excluding Dispensary Stock (Hobart, £1556; Launceston, £2194).
" " 1927 = £377,258 " " (" £1477 : " £2366).

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RETURN of Receipts and Expenditure of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers for Year ending 30th September, 1925.

Name of Union.	Receipts.			Expenditure.				Receipts.	Expenditure.	Balance at beginning of year.	Balance at end of year.
	Contributions.	Levies.	Other Receipts.	Benefits.	To District.	Management.	Other Expenditure.				
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
District Lodge (Members, 572) †	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hobart Branch	495	100	33	370	10	67	104	628	551	518	595
Launceston	268	125	89	209	2	75	536	482	822	504	164
Queenstown	162	81	16	...	...	34	17	259	51	303	511
Burnie	80	20	...	30	...	18	26	100	74	190	216
Total	1005	326	138	609	12	194	683	1469	1498	1515	1486

†Members : Hobart, 234 ; Launceston, 174 ; Queenstown, 120 ; Burnie, 44. Total, 572.

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Name of Union.	Receipts.			Expenditure.				Receipts.	Expenditure.	Balance at beginning of year.	Balance at end of year
	Contributions.	Levies.	Other Receipts.	Benefits.	To District.	Management.	Other Expenditure				
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
District Lodge (Members) 584†	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hobart Branch	*559	...	39	108	9	156	430	598	703	595	490
Launceston	291	156	131	200	5	97	70	578	372	164	370
Queenstown	148	100	13	30	...	35	302	261	367	511	405
Burnie	*92	...	10	22	...	18	15	102	55	216	263
Zeehan	18	34	246	139	...	14	121	298	274	...	24
Total.....	1108	290	439	499	14	320	938	1837	1771	1486	1552

* Including levies. † Members : Hobart, 210 ; Launceston, 170 ; Queenstown, 103 ; Burnie, 50 ; Zeehan, 51. Total, 584.

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Name of Union.	Receipts.			Expenditure.				Receipts.	Expenditure.	Balance at beginning of year.	Balance at end of year.
	Contributions.	Levies.	Other Receipts.	Benefits.	To District.	Management.	Other Expenditure.				
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
District Lodge (Members, 583) †	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hobart Branch	358	226	91	120	42	57	120	675	339	490	826
Launceston	287	174	152	260	...	57	345	613	662	370	321
Queenstown	192	104	617	465	...	31	503	913	999	405	319
Burnie	*100	...	8	41	...	16	2	108	59	263	312
Zeehan	84	39	757	282	...	28	207	880	517	24	387
Total	1021	543	1625	1168	42	189	1177	3189	2576	1552	2165

*Including levies. † Members : Hobart, 187 ; Launceston, 158 ; Queenstown, 124 ; Burnie, 41 ; Zeehan, 73. Total, 583.

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